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STRIKE IS POSTPONED 48 HOURS

CZAR GIVES UP UNDER PRESSURE

Russian Ruler Said to Have Been Held by Troops Until Compelled to Yield Throne

NEWS OF ABDICATION CHEERED BY THRONGS

Grand Duke Michael Requests People to Obey Duma Until Government Form Is Chosen

What happened today in Russia is told here in brief:

All indications point to the establishment of a republic in place of the old autocratic Romanoff dynasty.

The czarevitch, 13-year-old son of Czar Nicholas, is reported to be dead. Death was presumably due to scarlet fever, with which he had previously been reported suffering.

Czar issues manifesto to populace telling of his decision to abdicate himself and his son, and urging the people to unite behind Grand Duke Michael, his brother, who he designated as his successor.

It is reported in Petrograd that Grand Duke Michael, who declined to take the throne after the czar's abdication, has decided to accept if the Russian people desire him to.

Sweeping liberal reforms, including suffrage, emancipation of the Jews, political amnesty, freedom of speech and the press are promised by the new government. City rapidly becoming normal. Food and coal arriving in large quantities.

Outside municipalities and provinces flood new leaders with expressions of loyalty and satisfaction at czar's overthrow.

BULLETIN.

STOCKHOLM, March 17.—Czar Nicholas is a prisoner of the revolutionists in the Taurdie palace, and the Czarina has been sent to Khieff, according to despatches received here today by the newspaper Nyadagligt Allehanda.

The newspaper Social Demokraten has a report from Russia that former Premier Prince Golitzin committed suicide in prison.

COPENHAGEN, March 17.—Czar Nicholas, the Czarina and all the members of his immediate family have been taken to the Crimea, according to a despatch published here today by the National Tidende.

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

AMSTERDAM, March 17.—Czar Nicholas decided to abdicate the Russian throne only after he had been held up by soldiers and the necessity for such action impressed on him, according to a despatch printed in the Frankfurter Zeitung today.

The despatch states that while the Czar was en route from Moscow to Petrograd a group of revolutionary troops held up his train and compelled him to give up his throne.

BY UNITED PRESS.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PETROGRAD, March 17.—In declining the throne offered him by Czar Nicholas' formal notice of abdication, Grand Duke Michael issued a request that all the people of Russia obey the provisional government until a vote of the people could show what form of government they preferred.

CZAR ABDICATES.

BY UNITED PRESS.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

LONDON, March 17.—Czar Nicholas of Russia signed formal abdication of the throne of the Romanoffs on Thursday, it was definitely learned here today.

Preliminary statements which had been received up to today reported that the former emperor of all the Russias had renounced his sovereignty right.

Despatches from Russia today said the formal signature to the abdication was made at Pskoff and that throughout the Russian nation placards announcing this renunciation had been posted.

PETROGRAD, March 17.—All army officers present in Petrograd met today and unanimously resolved to recognize the authority of the Duma.

Speeches were made stating realization by the army of the indispensable need for re-establishment of order as speedily as possible that the work behind the trenches might proceed.

By John Edwin Nevin,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Recognition of the new government of Russia—whether it finally takes the form of a republic or is headed by a regency—is certain, so far as the United States is concerned.

The attitude adopted by this government in refusing recognition to new governments created as a result of the European war will not hold in this instance, officials say. They declare that as soon as the Russian people record their wishes and a government along such lines is formed

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WOMAN DEAD, 15 HURT, IN TORNADO IN MISSISSIPPI

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

TUPELO, Miss., March 17.—Mrs. John Moreland was killed, fifteen persons were injured and many farm houses were destroyed today by a tornado that swept Northeastern Mississippi.

Suit Filed to Cancel City Wharf Pact

An action to have the Superior Court cancel the contract of the V. O. Lawrence Warehouse Company with the city, by which the company enjoys certain rights at the municipal wharf and warehouse at the foot of Jefferson street, was filed this morning by Phillip Reilly, through his attorney, Frank J. Gordon. Mayor John L. Davie, Commissioner of Public Works Harry S. Anderson, Commissioner of Streets William J. Baccus, Commissioner of Finance W. H. Edwards and Commissioner of Public Health Dr. F. F. Jackson are named as defendants in a complaint which alleges that the contract with Lawrence is illegal and not adopted by ordinance, as the charter provides, but by resolution, which is invalid.

Commissioner Anderson declares that the action is merely an attempt at politics and specifically denies many of the counts of the complaint. Through his attorney, Charles Beardsley, former assistant city attorney, Anderson claims that the charter provides that such contracts as the Lawrence contract must be granted by resolution and that the allegations as to the cost of mainenance, wharf tolls and warehouse tolls are incorrect.

TOLL RIGHTS GIVEN.

Reilly alleges that by the lease granted by the council in December, 1915, Lawrence was given an exclusive right to charge tolls at the city wharf in consideration of his paying to the city $100 a month for the first five years, $150 a month for the second five years and $200 a month for the third five years. It is set forth that by a report filed with the State Railroad Commission by Lawrence, that his company earned $4337 in 1916 and in 1917 about $6000. It is further alleged that the city is paying $25,000 a year for maintenance and invested $250,000 in initial cost.

No request is made in the action for a refund from the Lawrence company. Anderson declares that the company entered the contract in anticipation of the business through the Panama Canal, and had arranged with the Luckenbach Steamship Company to wharf at the Jefferson street dock. The war suspended this plan. Then the local company sought to induce other companies to bring business to Oakland by suspending demurrage or wharf charges. This was agreed to by the city council, and warehouse charges, tolls and other charges maintained.

POLITICS, SAYS ANDERSON.

In discussing the matter this morning, Commissioner Anderson said:

"This suit is unquestionably filed for political purposes and not with the idea of having it pressed in the courts. Reilly, the plaintiff, and Gordon, his attorney, are both actively engaged in managing the campaign of a certain candidate who is seeking to be elected to the office of Commissioner of Public Works.

"The allegations of the complaint are false in many particulars. Thus Reilly and Gordon allege that the municipal dock cost $250,000 when, as a matter of fact, it cost $37,000. They allege that the cost of upkeep was $25,000 per annum, while the actual cost is less than 10 percent of that amount. The proceedings attacked in this political complaint were all taken by action of the City Council under the advice and with the approval of the City Attorney and were, in all particulars, regular and for the best interests of the City of Oakland. Not only has no money been lost to the city by reason of this procedure, but a large amount of shipping has been thereby attracted to the city wharves. All ships that have landed at this wharf have paid the full dockage charge to the City of Oakland, and for all goods moved over the wharf the full toll charges have been paid into the city treasury."

EDWARDS TELLS OF LEASE.

Commissioner W. H. Edwards of the revenue and finance department, in answering the allegations of the suit as attacking the members of the city council, said:

"The Lawrence concern was awarded its concessions by bids awarded through proper procedure, the concern being the only bidder. Prior to that time we had no business at the municipal wharves. Lawrence brought in business which promised to develop into a big thing for the city. All the preference that we have granted him in resolution is that he can hold goods on the wharves until such time as they can be reshipped by water or rail.

"I found the other day that there are ten or fifteen men at work there repacking the cases. If the city arbitrarily forced the company to remove the goods these men would be thrown out of employment. Until such time as we need the warehouse space we should extend every facility to our patrons. I believe that the city should foster infant industries rather than harass them. There is plenty of room on the wharves. If Lawrence did not utilize the space it would be vacant.

BEST FOR CITY.

"At first I thought that the Lawrence concern was getting the best of the deal, but I am now convinced that it is for the best interests of the city. It seems to me that there is a mysterious force at work against the interests of the city, perhaps fostered somewhere else about the bay in order to drive away our patrons.

"It is very easy to influence people by agitation regarding conditions that

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BAPAUME IS CAPTURED BY HAIG'S ARMY

English Forces Proceed Beyond Town, Which Is Burned as Conquerors Enter Its Gates

Fighting Light Upon the Other Fronts; Artillery Duels and Minor Clashes in Report

BULLETIN

LONDON, March 17.—Bapaume on the Franco-Belgian front has been captured by the British, Reuter's agency announces.

Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France telegraphs that the towns of Le Transloy and Achiel-Le-Petit also were reported to be in the hands of the British.

"Our troops entered Bapaume this morning after stiff fighting," Reuter's correspondent telegraphs. "The place was in flames, the Germans having evidently made all plans for setting fire to it when forced to retreat.

"Our troops are reported to be beyond the town."

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

BERLIN (via Sayville wireless), March 17.—A British detachment attacking German lines south of Arras, near Beaurains, was annihilated in savage hand-to-hand fighting, according to a statement on western front operations issued by the Transocean News Agency today. The British attack came in three waves, the statement said. The first wave succeeded in penetrating a German trench and was wiped out in a fierce counter attack. The second and third waves were repulsed with severe losses.

Admission was made by the war office that British and French troops have occupied German trenches in the district of Sailly, St. Pierre-Vaast wood, Beuvraignes and Lassigny, but it was asserted that German troops had abandoned the positions in accordance with pre-arranged plans.

On other sectors of the western front, the statement said, German thrusting detachments brought in a number of French and British prisoners. Four enemy balloons were brought down in flames by German air attacks.

German troops east of Doiran lakes, on the Macedonian front, have succeeded in occupying the railroad station at Poroy, in front of the German lines, the war office admitted today.

North of Monastir, new engagements are in progress.

AIRMEN MAKE RAID.

Austrian naval aircraft bombarded Italian military establishments at Valona last Monday, dropping more than 1200 kilograms of explosives with "visible effect," according to an official statement from Vienna reaching here today.

"Extensive conflagrations were observed," said the statement. "All the machines returned unharmed."

Dr. Karl Helfferich, minister of the interior, claimed today that Germany's submarine warfare has already proved a success.

In an interview, Secretary Helfferich pointed to the declaration of Lloyd George in February that England is confronted by the "grimest danger."

GAIN IS MADE.

PARIS, March 17.—A gain of two and a half miles over a front of twelve miles extent north of the Avre was announced by the war office today.

Lieutenant Guynemer has brought down his thirty-fourth enemy aeroplane, the war office announced today. The daring aviator shot down three yesterday. The war department statement also announced that a total of nine enemy machines fell victim of French flyers in yesterday's operations.

Vandals Break Into School; Boys Sought

Windows were smashed in six portable rooms at the Lazare school, Twenty-ninth avenue and Elmwood street, last night and a large quantity of school supplies and some clothing left there by pupils was taken, according to a report made to the police today by Miss E. G. Kain, principal. The police are investigating clews which the principal points to several boys living in the vicinity. The vandals cut their hands in breaking the windows, according to evidence of bloody towels in the washroom.

Defeat of Murguia's Forces Is Admitted

JUAREZ, March 17.—It was semi-officially admitted here today that General Francisco Murguia's forces had suffered reverses in the field south of Parral. It was also said the reported taking of Parral and Jiminez was probable, although no confirmation had been received here from Chihuahua City because of the rush of sending forces from the state capital against the Villa rebels.

Democrats Planning to Alter Colombian Pact

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Following failure of the Colombian treaty, in the face of united Republican opposition in the Senate, the administration has under consideration modification of the pact with a view to attaining its passage at the special session of Congress, it was learned at the State Department today.

COMPROMISE SPURNED BY SHIP UNION

Conference Terms Voted Down at Session; Men Not to Return to Work on Monday

Situation Back at Old Deadlock and Walkout May Still Continue in Force Next Week

With an open repudiation by the shipyard laborers in a mass meeting at the Labor Temple last night, of the proposition submitted earlier in the day by Mayor James Rolph, Jr, of San Francisco, that the strikers return to work and arrange for a conference on Monday at which the wage differences would be taken up, the situation at the Union Iron Works and Moore & Scott yards, which was thought well on the road to adjustment, became tense again today.

Announcement of the shipyard laborers' repudiation of Rolph's proposition was made by William A. Spooner, following a mass meeting last night of the laborers, at which nearly all of the 3000 men which have left the two plants of the Union Iron Works and the Moore & Scott interests were present. That the sentiment of the meeting was not unanimous, however, was evidenced by the statements made by members after the meeting that they were going back to work.

ROLPH'S PROPOSAL.

Mayor Rolph's proposal was that a conference be held between representatives of the Union Iron Works, Moore & Scott and the labor unions at 10 o'clock Monday morning, providing the men go back to work. This was based upon the assumption that the men had struck without notice, and while a conference was in process of being arranged. Later, after a conference with Al Gunn, vice-president and acting manager of the Union Iron Works, Mayor Rolph declared that a matter of 10 cents had kept 2000 men out of work.

His reference had to do with a telegram sent to the Union Iron Works headquarters in San Francisco from the shipyard laborers' union asking for a conference to discuss differences. The next morning, not having heard from Gunn, the laborers walked out. Two hours later, Gunn's wire was received, arranging the conference for Monday morning. Investigation disclosed the fact that Gunn's secretary had sent a night lettergram in answer to the union's telegram, and the despatch had not reached the Oakland union headquarters until two hours after the strike was called

CONFERENCE URGED.

Yesterday afternoon Mayor Rolph, Timothy Reardon, president of the Board of Public Works, and two representatives of the shipyard laborers' union—W. E. Castro and G. A. Smith—held a conference in Rolph's office. When the meeting adjourned at 2 o'clock there was every hope expressed that the matter was in a fair way to be settled. It was decided, however, to leave final action to a meeting of the shipyard laborers which was to take place last night in this city. This meeting, it is alleged, resulted in a repudiation of a settlement except upon the full wage demanded.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock the shipyard laborers' union of San Francisco will hold a mass meeting in the Labor Temple to decide what action shall be taken in the Alameda strike situation. Efforts have been made to have the San Francisco union go out on a sympathy strike, but no action has yet been taken.

LAPLAND MAKES ESCAPE TWICE FROM DIVERS

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Two attempts were made to sink the White Star line passenger steamer Lapland on her last outward voyage from this port, beginning February 14, according to officers of the ship, which arrived here today from Liverpool.

The first attempt occurred just off the Irish coast, when a submarine that appeared in the ship's path was sunk by a patrol boat. The second attempt, a few hours later, was near the mouth of the Mersy river, when a torpedo was observed passing the Lapland's bows.

Socialist Deputy Scores Diver Warfare

LONDON, March 17.—The German submarine campaign and military despotism were denounced and the German peace offer of last December characterized as ridiculous in a stormy speech by Deputy Hoffmann, Socialist, in the Prussian Diet, after Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg had delivered his speech promising international political reorganization and reform of the franchise after the war, according to a Berlin despatch transmitted by the Central News correspondent at Amsterdam.

Deputy Hoffmann, after being thrice called to order, was forced to leave the chamber.

THE HAGUE, March 17.—The Koelnische Zeitung's account of the turbulent debate in the Prussian Diet Thursday adds some details to the speech of the Socialist leader, Adolf Hoffman, for which he was voted into silence. The paper says that Hoffman interrupted and accused highly placed functionaries of cornering food while the poorer classes of North Germans were falling ready victims to smallpox on account of enfeebled vitality.

MEDIATORS GAIN TWO DAYS' TRUCE

JOINT CONFERENCE ARRANGED

UNITED STATES COMMITTEE ON MEDIATION.

By International News Service.

NEW YORK, March 17.—The threatened nation-wide railroad strike was postponed for forty-eight hours this afternoon, a few hours before the trainmen were scheduled to actually begin walking out.

Secretary of the Interior Lane, as head of President Wilson's board of mediation, made this announcement at the Biltmore Hotel late this afternoon after an all-night and all-day conference with the railway executives and the heads of the four railroad brotherhoods. Secretary Lane issued the following statement:

"At our request and out of an appreciation of the national situation, the brotherhoods and the railroad managers have resumed negotiations, and in the hope that some adjustment may be had that will avert the necessity for a strike. The brotherhoods have wired or telephoned their general chairmen asking that all action be postponed for forty-eight hours, and unless prior to that time, advised of a settlement, the men will leave the service under the authority already given."

The statement was signed by Franklin K. Lane, William B. Wilson and Daniel Willard.

Secretary Lane announced that the President's medators will meet the brotherhoods in another conference tomorrow at 10 a. m. Immediately after conferring with the labor heads, the mediators will go into session with the railway executives. No more conferences will be held tonight.

Zeppelin Is 'Bagged' by Marksmen

By W. S. Forrest,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

PARIS, March 17.—From 11,000 feet in the sky, French expert anti-aircraft gunners today, at Compiegne, brought down in blazing ruins a giant German Zeppelin, one of a number apparently returning from a raid on England.

It fell in one of the main streets of the city, a charred mass, those of its crew who remained aboard being burned into unrecognizable masses. Two or three of the crew, mad with pain of the flames and certain of death, preferred to meet it otherwise than in a mass of fire, and jumped thousands of feet to the earth.

The great Zeppelin broke in two just before it landed, a blazing, almost molten mass. The wreckage was still smouldering late today.

Despite the earliness of the hour—it was before dawn that the Zeppelin alarm sounded—nearly all of Compiegne was astir. Thousands gathered in the streets to listen to the rattle of the anti-aircraft guns and to cheer the marksmen. When one monster of the sky was hit there was a tremendous outburst of cheering.

Meanwhile the Zeppelins from their vast height aloft had launched several bombs at the town. No one was hurt by them and the damage was insignificant. The greater peril came when the blazing mass of the stricken Zeppelin shot down from aloft, gathering momentum as it fell nearly two miles from the sky, but no one was injured.

Paris got part of the Zeppelin scare when the alarm was sounded at 4 o'clock in the morning. But the Zeppelins didn't arrive as expected.

This is the first raid in which Zeppelins have participated since the death of their inventor.

Carranza Promises to Restore Land Seized

MEXICO CITY (via Galveston), March 17.—Restoration of property seized by the government during the revolutionary days, just as soon as internal conditions will permit, has been promised by General Carranza, it was made known today. This will include millions of dollars' worth of church holdings, more than $5,000,000 worth alone at Puebla.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The United States today ordered its consuls back into Mexico. The consular officers were withdrawn about a year ago, when relations between Carranza and the Washington government were strained.

"Onyx Girl" Died at Hands of Unknown

PHILADELPHIA, March 17.—A coroner's jury, after listening to the testimony of nearly fifty witnesses, has rendered a verdict that Mazie Colbert, advertising art model, found dead in her apartments here December 30 last, was strangled by a person or persons unknown. Witnesses called by the police presented circumstantial evidence tending to show that Bernard W. Lewis of Pittsburg had killed the girl, but this evidence was not satisfactory to the coroner. Lewis committed suicide in Atlantic City as the police were about to arrest him.

Thirty-nine Foreign Ships Transferred

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Secretary Redfield, replying to Senator Stone's resolution asking for the number of transfers of ships from foreign to American registry, told the Senate yesterday that between January 1, 1916, and March 15, 1917, thirty-nine ships were so transferred. Among them were seven admitted as wrecked ships, repaired at American shipyards.

Only two ships, the report says, have been transferred since February 1. One of these was of Argentine register, the other being British. The transfer of the steamer Algonquin, recently sunk by a submarine, from British registry, was made December 18, 1916

DEMAND EIGHT HOURS.

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

NEW YORK, March 17.—It was learned this morning that the brotherhood chiefs, in the conference last night, told the government mediators that they had determined upon a showdown at this time. They informed the mediators that only a declaration of war would keep them from insisting on the eight-hour day with ten hours' pay.

The brotherhood leaders have told the mediators that if they backed down at this time they would lose their power in their orders and that the brotherhoods might be broken up. There is known to be an undercurrent of feeling among the brotherhood memberships that the four chiefs were tricked last fall in the mediation proceedings that resulted in the Adamson law being enacted. The leaders are blamed by a great many of the members for allowing the matter to drag along. They hold that the strike should have been called before the proceedings got so far.

Only three of the four mediators appointed by the President were present when the conference with the brotherhood leaders was resumed. They were Secretary of the Interior Lane, Secretary of Labor Wilson and Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, the fourth member, was not present and no one had any knowledge of his whereabouts.

The conference with the brotherhood chiefs was expected to last until 11 o'clock. The railway executives were then scheduled to meet the mediators. It was hoped by the mediators to have another joint session of the brotherhood chiefs and the railway executives at noon.

Secretary Lane, just before entering the conference, said: "I don't feel that I should say anything at this time. I might complicate the situation."

Railroad executives have been in session continually since last night and additional representatives of many lines have been called into conference. Among the men to enter the discussions today are A. H. Smith of the New York Central; Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania; Frank Trumbull of the Chesapeake and Ohio; W. G. Besler, president of the Central Railroad of New Jersey; W. J. Truesdale of the Lackawanna; J. H. Eustice of the Boston and Maine; Fred Underwood of the Erie, and Hale Holden of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy.

WILSON STILL HOPES.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—President Wilson today awaited word from the mediation conference in New York, determined that a nation-wide strike will not be permitted. The chief executive admittedly was hopeful today that a "way out" would be found. He believed, White House officials said, that even the first mediation conference had failed to bring together employers and employees, the additional sessions would be successful.

No hard and fast rules have been laid down to the mediators. They were told by the President that the strike must be prevented. They will demand mutual concessions.

The next step—should mediation fail—has not been considered. The President has absolute confidence that the strike can be averted, and because of this fact intends that the mediators shall not be hampered by threats of what may be expected if their efforts fail. All that the White House cares to say, officials say, is that a strike cannot and will not be permitted at this time.

Legal opinions that the President can force operations of the nation's railroads following the issuance of a proclamation that a "state of national danger exists" have been prepared. It is considered very likely that the parties to the New York conference also know this and that it will have an effect on their continued deliberations.

Divers Decrease U. S. Trade by $190,000,000

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The American foreign trade decreased approximately $190,000,000 during February, the first month of Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare. In a statement issued today the Department of Commerce gives the decrease in exports as $147,033,659 and the decrease in imports, $42,239,675.

RAIL MEN SUE TO HALT BIG 4 ORDER

Bill of Equity Filed Against the Brotherhoods by Members of Organization to Check Strike

EMPLOYEES INSTITUTE ACTION IN PHILADELPHIA

Trainmen Declare Not More Than 10 Per Cent of Order Are in Favor of Walk-Out

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PHILADELPHIA, March 17.—A bill in equity which has for its purpose the prevention of the four railroad brotherhoods from calling a strike of railroad employees within the state of Pennsylvania was filed in the Federal District Court today by the attorney representing members of the four brotherhoods.

No judge was in the federal building at the time, and, although the bill is officially on file, it will not have the effect of preventing a walkout unless the papers are signed by a judge and an order issued enjoining the men.

Leighton P. Stadley, attorney for the men who filed the bill, said the action "would take its usual course."

VOTE NOT EFFECTIVE.

The action is against the local chairmen and chairmen of their general grievance committee. The action affects the brotherhoods on all railroads throughout Pennsylvania.

According to the trainmen, they believe that not more than 10 per cent are in favor of walking out. The bill alleges that the joint ballot upon which the strike was called is not in effect at this time, inasmuch as it was obtained eight months ago, when times were not at the critical stage they are today. This strike ballot obtained eight months ago was canceled last fall, when the Adamson law was enacted, the bill asserts.

Complaints in this action allege that a refusal to arbitrate by the grand chiefs is contrary to the constitution and by-laws of the brotherhoods. The ballot was obtained last summer, the bill of complaint says, by arbitrary action of the chief executives of the unions and without complying with the by-laws. The bills in equity are signed by one member from each of the four brotherhoods.

PREPARE FOR STRIKE.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 17.—Railroad operating managers in the Northwest are making elaborate preparations for meeting the proposed strike of trainmen. The Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation Company today has advertisements in the newspapers for trainmen, enginemen and yardmen. Similar action has been taken by other roads. Some managers say a large percentage of their employees will not obey the strike order. The Northern Pacific has large advertisements in the newspapers appealing to its men "in the gravest period of national danger which has ever threatened our country" to remain at their work.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 17.—Old employees of the Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul have promised not to strike, according to division superintendents of these roads here.

"We have obtained the promise of enough of the old men to assure the Northern Pacific that our line will not be greatly affected by the proposed strike," said J. L. DeForce, superintendent of the Northern Pacific here. "All passenger service out of Spokane will be maintained. Local freight service will not be affected."

TO IGNORE ORDER.

COLUMBUS, O., March 17.—Engineers, conductors and trainmen of the Cincinnati, Lebanon and Northern railroad, a subsidiary company of the Pennsylvania railroad, this morning informed General Superintendent I. W. Geer of the Southwest system of the Pennsylvania that they would refuse to obey the strike order.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Should a nation-wide railroad strike materialize now, a heavy financial burden will be thrown upon the federal government. Officials expect that it will be necessary to swear in thousands of deputy marshals for service in various parts of the country, as in the famous Chicago railroad strike of 1894. Unless the strike is averted and if the usual expense has to be met, the treasury probably will be forced to issue bonds sooner than expected in order to raise the funds.

FULL MARKET. $23—3 sunny, conv. rms., elec.; nr. S.P.
"Read and Use the "Want Ads"
"Rooms to Let," 2 lines ten days cost $1

CALIFORNIA SAFE FROM STARVATION

Danger of famine or food shortage in California, Alameda county and Oakland, as the result of a national railroad strike, is a negligible quantity, according to local grocers and food supply men. That California could take care of its own people in the event of a tie-up of lengthy duration was the consensus of opinion, although it was held that certain luxuries and commodities obtained from the east would disappear after a few weeks.

"California is able to produce enough for Californians," said E. S. Hogan, secretary of the Alameda County Retail Grocers' Association. "Of course, certain cereals, package goods and canned wares obtainable from eastern sources will be gone after a while, but we produce certain cereals of our own right close to our homes here; can certain fruits and vegetables close by, and, in general, should be able to live very comfortably, though not extravagantly, while the strike is in progress.

"Potatoes, beans, rice, flour, salt and the other actual necessities are here for the asking. Within our own neighborhood we have enough to supply our immediate and real demands. Canned soups, beans, vegetables, and the like, imported from the east, will be with us for a few weeks, but will disappear. Yes, Alameda county and the bay cities need not worry over the food situation. We are fortunate in that we raise enough to eat."

D. H. Mathes, an executive of the Sunset Grocery Company, echoed Hogan's statements.

CALIFORNIA INDEPENDENT.

"California is independent. Alameda county truck farmers will have enough varieties to supply the demand here, and the other foodstuffs will be in large enough quantity to assure the population against hardship.

"It means, though, the disappearance of luxuries which the Californian and American in general dotes upon. Breakfast foods from the east will find their substitutes—excellent ones, too—from this very district. We shall get along very well, indeed, here. Only we must use discretion in selecting our food."

H. D. Cushing, among other food supply men, thought that the strike would bring about a similar condition to what is existing at present—with foreign luxuries out of the market.

"The war has precluded importation of goods from France, Germany, Switzerland and other nations in Europe. We have gotten along without them for many months now, and shall continue getting along without them for some time to come.

"It will amount to the same thing if this strike becomes assured. For a time there will be enough canned, package and ordinary goods from the East on hand, but after a bit, this supply, not augmented by further shipment, will disappear.

"So long as California crops continue there will be no hardship. And we look for a handsome series of crops this year. Eastern hams, bacons and meats will disappear. But our own ranges will produce enough meat and Nevada herds may be driven into this state if demand becomes greater than supply.

MAKING OWN GOODS.

"The war stopped all shipment of Swiss cheese. We began making our own Swiss cheese. We are making good Swiss cheese and filling the demand. We can do the same with everything else if given enough time. But the state, county and city are assured of enough life necessities."

Picking up the preparation made against a strike last August, railroad company officials here are centering efforts on making possible the continuation of service in event of a railroad strike.

Although the strike is scheduled to start in the East tonight, it is not expected to reach Oakland before Wednesday night. In view of that fact the embargo orders on perishable freight have been extended, allowing the acceptance of shipments west of Portland, Ogden, Deming and El Paso, if they can reach their destinations by Tuesday night. The Key Route ferry and eelctric system today announced that it will put on extra trains and boats to handle the commuter traffic and will honor Southern Pacific commutation tickets in the event the Southern Pacific suburban trains are tied up. Officials of the Southern Pacific declare they believe the strike will not reach their electric lines, however.

It is not expected there will be much difficulty in handling mails to this coast, as the fast mail train from Council Bluffs, Ia., that brings the mail will be in operation at any event.

Colds Cause Headache and Grip LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. Remember to call for full name. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.—Advertisement.

St. Patrick's Dinner

A special St. Patrick dinner will be served at Kisich's Saddle Rock Restaurant tonight. Irish music and Irish songs will be a feature. The dinner will be exceptionally good. Covers $1. Phone Oak. 1826 for reservations.

Special squab dinner Sunday. $1.25. Business men's lunch, 11 till 2, 50 cents.—Advertisement.

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "loggy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 10c and 25c.

WILSON MAKES APPEAL TO RAIL MEN FOR PEACE

I DEEM it my duty and right to appeal to you in this time of national peril to open again the questions at issue between the railroads and their operatives with a view to accommodation and settlement.

With my approval, a committee of the Council of National Defense is about to seek a conference with you with that end in view.

A general interruption of the railway traffic of the country at this time would entail a danger to the nation against which I have the right to enter my most solemn and earnest protest.

It is now the duty of every patriotic man to bring matters of this sort to immediate accommodation. The safety of the country against manifest perils affecting its own peace and the peace of the whole world makes a convention absolutely imperative and seems to me to render any other choice of action inconceivable.—Wilson's appeal to the railroads and their employees.

ORDER AWAITED BY WESTERN R. R. MEN

CHICAGO, March 17.—Western trainmen's representatives, gathered in Chicago to await the flash that is expected to send them out on strike, had practically abandoned hope today of any agreement being reached in the mediation meeting in New York. They were busy preparing for the inauguration of the strike at 6 o'clock this evening. Railroad officials were still hopeful. But at the same time they were preparing to meet any situation that might arise. The roads were depending almost exclusively on the possibility that the men would refuse to obey the brotherhood call. They were encouraged in this belief by the fact that 2000 switchmen, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor but not with the brotherhoods, will remain at work.

The police of Chicago have mapped out plans to guard railway property in case of trouble.

Private detective agencies here, usually employed in strike crises, claimed today to have between 3000 and 4500 experienced railroad men available, to hurl into the breach within twelve hours, should a strike be declared. But they have received no orders for men, they admitted.

A card index system with names, home addresses and in most cases the nearest telephone number, is kept by the secret operatives. The men include engineers, firemen, conductors and other railroad men down to engine wipers.

"We have the same system in New York, Detroit, Cincinnati, Buffalo and other cities, and within 20 minutes after notification can start batches of fifty men to break the strike," said the head of one agency. "We have been working day and night for any emergency but believe there will be no strike at present."

Officials of Western railroads continued preparations today to keep their lines in operation despite the strike order scheduled to take effect at 6 o'clock (central time) tonight. An embargo has been placed on freight by virtually every Western railroad, though officials announce that efforts will be made to forward foodstuffs with as little delay as possible. In the switching yards, where the strike has been called for tonight, preparations have been made to handle both passenger and foodstuff traffic with limited crews.

TO USE STRIKEBREAKERS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 17.—That railroads coming into and running out of St. Louis are planning to operate their passenger trains with strikebreakers was learned today.

More than 1000 strikebreakers have been in the railroads' pay for two days in St. Louis, it is estimated. If the strike against the Terminal Railroad Association is called at 6 o'clock tonight, the strikebreakers will be put on passenger trains immediately. No attempt will be made to move freight.

At the Terminal offices today there was every show of confidence that the companies would be able to keep passenger trains moving in and out of the union station.

U. S. TO KEEP EYE ON SPECULATORS DURING R. R. ROW

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

CHICAGO, March 17.—With a nation-wide railroad strike but a few hours off, federal authorities today took prompt action to prevent price boosting for "food hogs" that threatens to add to the misery of millions.

Returning from a conference with Attorney-General Gregory, Robert W. Childs, special assistant attorney-general, went before a grand jury with a mass of evidence tending to show a conspiracy among food speculators. At the same time Hinton G. Clabaugh, head of the local department of justice, appealed to grocers to aid the government in the war against commission men who attempt to take advantage of the strike situation to boost food prices. Childs promised that commission men found guilty of such practices would be prosecuted to the full limit of the law.

Michigan Central Is Exempted in Order

CLEVELAND, March 18.—From an authoritative source it is learned that to avoid international complications the strike order affecting the New York Central lines does not include the Michigan Central system running into Canada, and that no strike is contemplated on the Michigan Central at present.

NEW YORK, March 17.—It was explained here that when the eight-hour movement was begun and representatives of the four brotherhoods went into Canada for the purpose of soliciting support in the Dominion, the Canadian government warned the brotherhoods that no strike nor even talk of a strike movement would be permitted during the war.

CANCEL LIMITED SERVICE.

BOSTON, March 17.—The New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad's Knickerbocker Limited, due to leave for New York at 1 p. m., and the Merchants' Limited, scheduled for 5 p. m., were cancelled on account of the strike situation. The last parlor car from Boston for the present was attached to the train leaving at 10:05 a. m.

'RAIL STRIKE AID TO ENEMY:' CALVIN

OMAHA, Neb., March 7.—President E. E. Calvin of the Union Pacific Railroad has issued the following statement:

"In connection with the threat of a general railroad strike at this time the question arises, is some power shrewder and more astute than the brotherhood leaders back of the plan to precipitate a transportation tie-up at this time and establish in this country a condition which, to the minds of our enemies in Europe, may seem like a revolt against our government.

"I am in hearty sympathy with Elisha Lee, chairman of the National Conference Committee of the railways, when he calls attention to the fact that the serious international situation should cause every citizen to put every thought of personal right or desire second to his duty to his country.

"In a letter addressed to President Wilson, some days ago, the brotherhood leaders gave assurance that in case of war they would render every possible assistance to the government.

"They have overlooked the fact that in many ways a railway strike in this country would be worth more to our enemies than the winning of many battles, for the reason that it would paralyze and stagnate all our resources; and even if the strike be called off should war be declared, the strike tie-up would have resulted in such a congestion of freight in the terminals and on the sidings that weeks and probably months would be required to get this congestion cleaned up before the railroads would be in normal running condition again.

GIVE ENEMY ADVANTAGE.

"This would mean that the movement of troops would be seriously interfered with and the movement of commissary supplies and munitions so seriously interrupted as to give our enemies a tremendous advantage.

"A day or two ago an officer of our navy said: 'A tie-up of the railroads for even two days would be a serious blow to the national welfare at this critical time. We must keep the fleet fully coaled and equipped with other supplies.'

"Moreover, we are rushing construction work in the navy, and a two days' tie-up of transportation of the materials urgently needed might mean a two months' delay in the emergency work we have undertaken.

"The rank and file of the railroad brotherhoods have waited for ten weeks for the decision of the United States Supreme Court as to the constitutionality of the Adamson law, a decision which may be handed down almost any day.

"In accordance with our agreement at that time, the Union Pacific, in common with the other railroads of the country, has kept separate time records since January, scrupulously recording the increased pay that would be due to their employees in case the Adamson law is upheld.

SPECIFIC PURPOSE.

"Further, the strike vote taken by the men was for a specific time and purpose, and, in the minds of many brotherhood members, to make use of the strike vote taken last summer to call a strike at this time would be illegal.

"When we are on the verge of a decision respecting the legality of the Adamson law, and when we stand face to face with the probability of a war which will tax all our energy, it seems to me that in speaking of the plans of the brotherhood leaders to tie up the transportation industry of the country, the people are justified in using a stronger term tahn 'ill advised.'

"To me it seems incredible that the rank and file of brotherhood members would respond to a strike call which must have the universal condemnation of the patriotic citizens of this country.

"It is impossible to believe that the brotherhood leaders, who have heretofore shown real generalship, will lead those who trust in them upon such a fool's errand.

WHARF CONTRACT ATTACKED IN SUIT

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appear to exist and do not actually exist.

Commissioner William J. Baccus said:

"All the procedure in the Lawrence matter has been enacted by the council under the ordinance recommended by the port commission, and I believe that what has been done has been for the best interests of the city.

"If the Lawrence people were forced to pay heavy tolls for wharf space it would force them to remove the goods stored there by a large eastern firm. They would be welcomed elsewhere about the bay, and they would not have to pay for similar accommodations."

Railway Asks Court to Protect Its Mer

CHICAGO, March 17.—Jacob M. Dickinson, receiver of the Rock Island line, and William J. Jackson, receiver of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad, today applied to Judge George A. Carpenter, in the United States District Court here, for protection of the respective properties and of such employees of the roads as may remain in service or shall be employed.

Judge Carpenter gave prompt assurance that this would be done to the full extent of the power of the court. United States Marshal Bradley was called into the conference. The receivers sent telegrams to the attorney-general for active co-operation. The receivers planned to have all employees remaining in the service sworn in as deputy marshals and furnished with official badges.

N. Y. Already Feels Pinch From Tie-Up

NEW YORK, March 17.—New York today is feeling the first pinch of apprehension of a nation-wide strike. No freight is moving out of the city and little freight, except what started on its way before yesterday, is coming in. Strict embargoes are in force on all roads bringing to New York supplies vital to its existence.

Milk is the only article not under the ban of the New Haven embargo. This system has even given notice that it will discontinue dining-car and sleeping-car service after tonight, and suggests that passenger services will be greatly crippled.

CZAR QUITS; SON REPORTED DEAD

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that that government will receive the recognition of the United States.

Only very brief despatches are coming through from Ambassador David Francis at Petrograd. Officials say that this undoubtedly is because of the great difficulty of communication between Petrograd and Washington. Officials, because of this fact, today are congratulating themselves that they have a strong man of the Francis type at the Russian capital. He will be compelled to meet many trying problems on his own initiative during the period of reconstruction, and officials say that in doing so he will at all times have the complete confidence of President Wilson.

STATED FOR REPUBLIC.

PETROGRAD (via London), March 17.—Unless improbable events occur, Russia has today become a republic. The outcome depends on how the manifesto of the new government is received by the six million soldiers at the front.

The government, pending a meeting of the Constitutional Assembly, is vested in the executive committee of the Duma and the newly-chosen council of ministers. A manifesto to this effect was issued by the Duma committee yesterday and was telegraphed to the general army headquarters.

FINLAND GOVERNOR JAILED.

LONDON, March 17.—Major-General Zein, governor-general of Finland, has been arrested by the commander of the Baltic ueet, on the order of the provisional government, according to a Reuter's Petrograd despatch. Senator Borovitinoff, vice-president of the economic department of the Finnish senate, has also been arrested.

F. I. Roditcheff, leader of the constitutional committee in the Duma, has been appointed minister for Finland and directed to proceed at once to Helsingfors.

Governor Zein has been governor of Finland since November, 1909, and has been noted for the drastic methods he used to suppress any popular outbreak. M. Roditcheff has been prominent in Duma affairs since the Russian parliament was created. He has been a vigorous advocate of the rights of the Jews.

SON'S DEATH REPORTED.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PETROGRAD (via London), March 17.—The autocracy which has held Russia in its grip since the beginning of history fell today The house of Romanoff, which has ruled the empire for 400 years, came to an end with the abdication of Nicholas II; perhaps the weakest representative of his line Tonight the death of the little son of the emperor, whose abdication was included in that of his father, was rumored.

After the abdication the crowds in the streets secured ladders, and began to tear the imperial insignia from the winter palace and the front of buildings on the main thoroughfare. In a short time all the emblems of the old empire literally lay in the dust.

In anticipation of the news bigger crowds than ever filled the halls and grounds of the Tauris palace, awaiting official confirmation by the Duma committee of the rumors which had excited the people to fever pitch during the last twenty-four hours. When the tidings at last leaked out from the committee rooms, orators who had been haranguing soldiers and working men from the balcony of the palace suddenly interrupted their discourses and shouted the news to the crowds below them. A roar of cheers such as never before had been heard in those stately halls continued until the men and women were forced to cease from exhaustion.

Just what form the new government will assume is indefinite. For the moment entire authority rests with the twelve members of the Duma executive committee, and the cabinet headed by Prince Lvoff, who, according to some forecasts, will be president of a new republic. It is believed that in the interim and until the convocation of a constitutional assembly, power will slowly pass into the hands of the new cabinet, which will then present the anomaly of a new government without a supreme head.

It was the general conviction when the revolution began that it had been provoked by the government, working through the medium of the police, and that the government had decided upon this daring expedient as the means of completing its previous efforts to tie up the industrial activity of the country and bring the war operations to a complete standstill. But the force which set in motion and which first appeared easy to control, drawing to itself all the discordant elements of the country which were awaiting an opportunity to revolt, soon became so tremendous that it was impossible to hold

TEMPORARY AUTHORITY.

A despatch received direct from Petrograd last night, filed at 5:30 o'clock Petrograd time, said Czar Nicholas had abdicated in favor of Grand Duke Michael, and that at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the Grand Duke himself had abdicated, thus brining the Romanoff dynasty to an end.

Advices direct from Petrograd yesterday stated there had been some difference of opinion between the Duma leaders and the representatives of the workingmen. The latter wished to leave undecided the question of the form of government until after the holding of a constitutional assembly, whereas, the Duma group, fearing dangers to the country in the absence of a definite government, had put forward the program of a regency under the Grand Duke.

The qualifications which Michael is reported to have placed on his acceptance of the throne indicate that it has been decided to erect a temporary central authority so that there may be no diversion of the country's energies in prosecuting the war, but at the same time the ultimate decision has been left with the people.

PROTOPOPOFF SOUGHT PEACE.

LONDON, March 17.—The Russian revolution came at a most opportune moment for the Entente, according to an Exchange Telegraph Company despatch from Copenhagen today, which stated that Minister of the Interior Protopopoff had already negotiated for a separate peace for Russia.

Protopopoff had long been accused by the Russian people of duplicity in traitorous negotiations with Germany.

PETROGRAD, March 17.—Estimates today placed the number of killed and injured by the police on Saturday and Sunday at 300. This was really before the actual revolt started and the casualties were in small riots over the city. After Sunday the number killed and wounded

NEW RUSSIAN CABINET OUTLINES ITS POLICIES

PETROGRAD, March 17.—Following a series of conferences between the new ministry members, who have assumed office under the provisional government in Russia, the following appeal to the people, outlining the policy of the cabinet and promising universal suffrage, the convocation of a constitutional assembly and abolition of social, religious and national restrictions, has been issued:

Citizens: The executive committee of the Duma, with the aid and support of the garrison of the capital and its inhabitants, has ceeded in triumphing over the obnoxious forces of the old regime in such a manner that we are able to proceed to a more stable organization of the executive power, with men whose past political activity assures them the country's confidence.

The new cabinet will base its policy on the following principles:

FIRST—An immediate general amnesty for all political and religious offenses, including terrorist acts and military and agrarian offenses.

SECOND—Liberty of speech and of the press; freedom for alliances, unions and strikes, with the extention of these liberties to military officials within the limits admitted by military requirements.

THIRD—Abolition of all social, religious and national restrictions.

FOURTH—To proceed forthwith to the preparation and convocation of a constitutional assembly, based on universal suffrage, which will establish a governmental regime.

FIFTH—The substitution of the police by a national militia, with chiefs to be elected and responsible to the government.

SIXTH—Communal elections to be based on universal suffrage.

SEVENTH—The troops which participated in the revolutionary movement will not be disarmed, but will remain in Petrograd.

EIGHTH — While maintaining strict military discipline for troops on active service, it is desirable to abrogate for soldiers all restrictions in the enjoyment of social rights accorded other citizens.

The provisional government desires to add that it has no intention to profit by the circumstances of the war to delay the realization of the measures above mentioned.

CZAR SENDS LAST WORD

Calls Upon Russians to Support New Ruler.

BY UNITED PRESS.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PETROGRAD, March 17.—Czar Nicholas, abdicated ruler of all Russia, has issued this manifesto:

To all our faithful subjects, it is best known in the days of the great struggle against a foreign enemy who has been endeavoring for three years to enslave our country that it has pleased God to send Russia further painful trial

Internal troubles threatened fatally to affect the further progress of this obstinate war and to affect Russia's destinies

Her heroic army, the happiness of the people, the whole future of the beloved fatherland, demand that the war should be conducted at all costs to a victorious end.

The cruel enemy is making his last efforts. The moment is near when our valiant army, in concert with our glorious allies, will finally overthrow the enemy.

In these decisive days we realize we owe to the people a close union and organization of all forces for realization of a rapid victory.

Therefore, in agreement with the Imperial Duma, we recognize it is for the country's good that we should abdicate the crown and lay down supreme power.

Not wishing to separate ourselves from our beloved son, we bequeath the heritage to our brother, Grand Duke Michael, with our blessing for the future throne, that he may govern it in full union with the national representatives and take inviolate oath to them in the name of our well beloved fatherland

We call all faithful sons of the fatherland to fulfill their sacred patriotic duty of obeying the Czar at this painful moment of national trials, and to aid him, together with the nation's representatives, to conduct the Russian state in the way of prosperity and glory.

May God help Russia!

Countess Is Held as Teuton Spy in Russia

PETROGRAD, March 17.—Arrests of individuals out of tune with the new orders of affairs continue from day to day. Among the latest arrested was the Countess Kleinmichael, well known in court circles, and who for a long time had been conspicuous as an intriguer and a tool for the dissemination of pro-German propaganda. Hitherto she has enjoyed immunity because of her influential connections. The countess was taken under guard to the Duma building.

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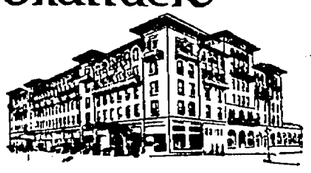

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Coal Deposit Set Aside for Railway

SEWARD, Alaska, March 17. — The Matanuska coal deposit on Chickaloon river, located by A. C. Frost of Chicago, which resulted in his being charged with fraudulent entry, tried and acquitted and still later tried again and acquitted on the charge of tampering with a juror in the first trial, has been set asie by the government for use by the Alaskan Engineering Commission on the United States railroad. Frosts application for patent was denied several years ago.

This "coal leasing unit" is known as No. 12, and has been reserved from among the tracts offered by the government under the leasing plan of the Department of the Interior.

KROPOTKIN TELLS CAUSES OF REVOLT

BRIGHTON, England, March 17.—Prince Peter Kropotkin, the aged Russian exile, who many years ago attained international fame because of the revolutionary stand he took on the side of the people of his country, received a correspondent of the Associated Press in his home here and gave his views on why the army joined in the revolt in Petrograd.

"The agricultural population, feeling that there was no security in the life of the country, refused to bring provisions to the city, and the army began to feel that the support it had received from the very outset of the war from the whole of the Russian nation, especially since the sale of spirits had been prohibited, was going to be disorganized totally. The campaign begun by Minister Protopopoff against the two unions of the Zemstvos and municipalities, added to the general discontent. The two unions had taken care of the hundreds of thousands of wounded soldiers whom they took from the bases behind the battlefield lines to distribute them in hospitals created by these unions all over Russia. In addition, they organized in the rear of the fighting lines medical supplies and necessaries for the army, as well as tents, hot baths and feeding stations, and had won the sympathies of the army by their continual care for the needs of the soldiers.

"Protopopoff decided to destroy these unions. He prohibited their general meetings, and ordered that at every committee meeting an officer of police (who might report everything to the Germans) should be present.

"This continual intercourse between the nation and the army explains why the army so rapidly joined the revolt."

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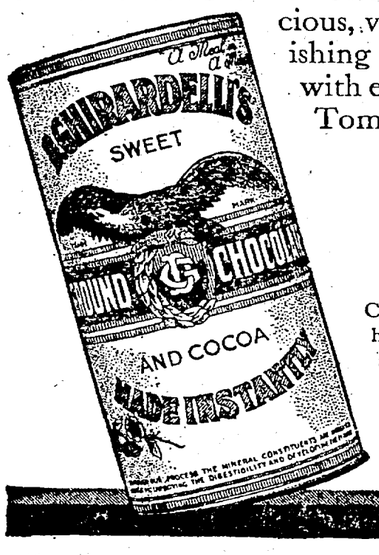

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MISS $10 IN GOLD FROM L.A. TREASURY

LOS ANGELES, March 17.—Ten thousand dollars in gold disappeared from the Los Angeles county treasurer's vault some time during February, it became known today when the district attorney issued a statement explaining the shortage and assuring the public that suspicion was not directed toward anyone in the treasurer's office. The shortage was made good yesterday by John N. Hunt, county treasurer, and his chief deputy, W. R. Slater, the two men who had access to the vault. The shortage was discovered by the county auditing committee March 1. The books showed seventy sacks in the vault, each containing $10,000 in gold, and only sixty-nine were found.

Woman Leaves Home and Five Children

Packing up a few personal belongings and leaving her five small children at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mamie Pauline, of 509 Castro street severed all home ties last night and relatives today asked the police to assist in a search for her.

The five children were left with Mrs. J. Pauline at 622 Fourth street. Her mother-in-law could not explain the reason for Mrs. Pauline's action. Mrs. Pauline is 29 years old, has brown hair and blue eyes, and when she left home she wore a long gray cloak.

Haight School Wins Cross-City Relay Race

ALAMEDA, March 17.—Haight grammar school again won the cross city relay race last night. The sixty-six competing runners from Haight, Washington, Lincoln and Porter schools were divided into six classes according to weight. The race was run in 150 foot laps. The winning school won by a big margin in 10:33 as against 12:30 for last year's time.

Two elementary school races were run, both being won by Mastick school. The first race included all of the elementary schools and the second race was between fifth grades of Mastick and Longfellow. The winning teams won trophies which they will hold for a year and will then compete for again.

Senator Cummins Suffers Collapse

NEW YORK, March 17.—United States Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa was removed to a hospital here this afternoon after he had collapsed during a speech he was making at the Republican Club. While he protested that he did not need aid, his friends forced him to ride to the hospital, where information regarding the nature of his illness was temporarily withheld.

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MUSTEROLE

Two Candidates Withdraw In Commissionership Race

Dr. Higgins Quits in Favor of Anderson; Gibson Gives His Reasons

With the withdrawal of Dr. R. M. Higgins and W. E. Gibson today from the race for a city commissionership and of Dr. John Slavich and Mary A. Wilson for school directors together with that of W. R. King for city auditor, the list of candidates now stands as it will appear on the ballots for the primary election on April 17.

Both Higgins and Gibson filed on Commissionership No. 1, which office is now held by Harry S. Anderson who is candidate for re-election. There are now six candidates opposing Anderson. For Commissioner No. 2, for which office William J. Baccus is a candidate to succeed himself, there were no withdrawals and there will be altogether ten candidates on the ballot. The withdrawal of W. R. King as candidate for auditor leaves I. H. Clay, incumbent, with only one opponent on the Socialist ticket.

IN ANDERSON'S FAVOR.

Dr. Higgins in a statement regarding his withdrawal intimated that he did so in favor of Commissioner Anderson, adding that he will take no active part in the campaign. He said:

"I have withdrawn my filed intention of candidacy for Commissioner of Public Works and will not be a candidate against Commissioner Anderson at the coming election.

"Last August I led the recall fight against Commissioner Jackson because my experiences as health officer of this city gave me some insight into the conduct of affairs of the Department of Public Health and Safety. It was my first candidacy and was prompted by evidence adduced at the police investigation of last May and it was my desire to help work out some problems, such as the municipal slaughter house, municipal market and to the effect a strict program of economy and efficiency.

"In spite of the very proper opposition to the overdone recall, it was defeated by only 342 votes, and as proof of its justification in that instance we have a grand jury trying to do what we tried to get the people to do.

"I do not wish to be known as possessed of that catching desire to hold public office. My entrance into the recall fight was purely a matter of principle and my support was accorded me on condition of my knowledge and fitness to run the Department of Public Health and Safety.

"Therefore, with thanks for the support that caused my filing of intention of candidacy for Commissioner of Public Works, I feel that it would be more in harmony with the reasons that originally prompted my entrance into a municipal campaign to withdraw my intention of candidacy against Commissioner Anderson.

"My withdrawal will not in any way effect other candidates as I will take no part in the coming election."

GIBSON GIVES REASONS.

Gibson gave his reasons as follows:

"Friends of mine secured signatures as required by the charter, unsolicited by me and urged me to make a declaration of candidacy, but after thinking the matter over carefully, I feel that I cannot afford to sacrifice my business at the present time, much as I would be glad to serve the larger interests of the city.

"I wish to express my appreciation to those who signified their desire to have me become a candidate and regret that I shall have to disappoint them."

WON'T OPPOSE WOMAN.

In discussing the withdrawal, Dr. Slavich gives as his reason the recent ruling of the city attorney, who held as permissible the switching of candidates' positions after declaration, unless protested by opponents, a ruling without precedent, the charter being not very clear on the subject.

Dr. Slavich entered his canddacy for school directorship No. 3, in an opposing field of men candidates only. In the closing hour switching of candidates' positions changes were made that now necessitate Dr. Slavich withdrawng as he does not wish to oppose a woman candidate.

VETERAN ALAMEDA OFFICER TO RETIRE

TRIBUNE BUREAU
1434 PARK ST.

ALAMEDA, March 17.—Police Officer Jesse Rogers of the Alameda police department will retire April 1 after being a member of the department for 24 years. But one patrolman, Charles Keyes, exceeds Rogers in length of service, Keyes being on the force nine months longer than Rogers. Besides Keyes but two other members of the department who were in the service when Rogers joined in April, 1893. They are Chief of Police John Conrad and Detective George H. Brown. Rogers retires on a pension of half pay. Pensions are granted on retirement after 20 years of service.

Rogers retires with an excellent record for efficiency and faithful performance of duty. He possesses the good wishes of every member of the department. Before joining the department Rogers was in the express business with one of the transfer companies operating in Alameda. He came to Alameda to live four years before joining the force. At the time he joined the department consisted of ten men.

He is a member of Oak Grove Lodge, F. and A. M., and also a member of the Scottish Rite branch of Masonry.

He is well known as a poultry fancier, and his blooded chickens have captured trophies at poultry shows. A recent attack of sickness affecting the heart caused the veteran officer to decide on retiring at this time. The good wishes of the entire police department and of many other Alamedans will follow Rogers when he leaves the department two weeks hence.

St. Andrew's Parish Will Hold Celebration

St. Andrew's Parish will celebrate St. Patrick's Day Monday evening at St. Francis De Sales hall with an extensive program of Irish music, dances and addresses. Features will be an address in Gaelic by Rev. Myles Allman and the evening's oration by Joseph E. D'Donnell. The program follows:

Opening Remarks.....Joseph A. Kennedy
Wilkie Choral Club of twenty voices.
Accompanist, Miss G. Wilkie.
(a) Kate Kearney.
(b) Maria Marl.
"A Message from Ireland," an address in Gaelic, by Father Myles Allman.
Four-hand reel, Misses Alice Driscoll and Muriel Norton, Masters Willie and Jack Leonard, pupils of Dan O'Mahoney.
Tenor Solo, "Killarney".....Theo. Jenkins
Accompanist, Miss Josephine Ryan.
Double Hornpipe.....
P. J. Keleher and Dan O'Mahoney.
Oration.....Jos. E. O'Donnell
Specialties.....Warren Shannon
Quartet, "The Shoogy Shoo" (The Seesaw).
Miss G. Wilkie, Mrs. J. C. Waggott, Theo Jenkins and William Makin.
Soprano Solo, "Mother Macree".....
Miss Delia McDonough.
Hornpipe.....
Masters Jack and Willie Leonard, Pupils of Dan O'Mahoney.
Baritone Solo, "My Little Irish Girl".....
William Makin.
Accompanist, Miss Josephine Ryan.
"Irish Jig," Misses Alice Driscoll and Muriel Norton.
Irish Songs.....Emmet Daly.
Vocal Solo, "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling".....Mark McDonough
Irish Jig, Keleher and O'Mahoney.

Y. M. C. A. Minstrels Add to Summer Fund

BERKELEY, March 17. — The fund for the summer camp of the boys' department of the Berkeley Y. M. C. A. was materially promoted by a minstrel show and vaudeville given last evening in the association gymnasium. C. G. Dickson, boys' secretary, had the affair in charge.

Robert Howry was interlocutor, with Randolph Van Nostrand, Don Wiley and Warren Nevin, Harold Woolsey, George Pettis, Al Biehl and Ralph Hines as end men.

A pyramid exhibition was one of the features of the vaudeville show. A male quartet, comedy acrobatic troupe and Walter Houle, dancer, contributed other numbers. The junior leaders offered a unique "Jumping Jack" act.

St. Patrick's Dance to Be Given Tonight

RICHMOND, March 17.—This evening at East Shore park, the Y. M. I. and Y. L. I. will give their St. Patrick's dance. Decorations will be elaborate, and the music of the best. Refreshments will be served. Those in charge of the floor are: P. F. Galligan, Martin Gero, Bart Kane and L. G. Tavalora. The committee of arrangements consists of John Wagner, J. E. Silva and P. F. Galligan of the Y. M. I. and Mrs. Rose Woods, Miss Mary Casey and Miss Mary Lydon of the Y. L. I.

DASCAL ACQUITTED.

Theodore Dascal, 3983 Rhoda avenue, Fruitvale, was acquitted in the justice court of a charge of petit larceny. He was alleged to have picked up a purse containing $10 in the yard at the home of George Withmarsh and to have failed to return it.

TWO HOMES CATCH FIRE.

BERKELEY, March 17. — Two roof fires last evening in this city caused little damage. The first was at 6 o'clock at the residence of A. G. Page, at 3049 Fulton street. The second was at 9 o'clock, at the residence of Postmaster R. A. Berry, at 2700 Benvenue. Sparks are believed to have caused both fires.

PHYSICS SAVANT CONTESTS THEORY UPHELD FOR AGES

BERKELEY, March 17.—The unchangeability of the elements of which all matter is composed, accepted as a postulate of physical science almost since the elements began to be recognized, has at last been called in question. Professor D. P. Lewis, of the department of physics at the University of California, has challenged the theory and declares his experiments, especially those made with the spectroscope, do not bear it up.

Experiments in further proof or disproof of the theory are now being conducted at the University of California and other institutions, Professor Lewis declares. He is not assured but that in the near future the transformation of one element into another by some sort of change in the electrons of which the atoms are composed may be discovered.

Commenting upon recent spectroscopic advances, Professor Lewis declares that it is now possible to measure the temperature of a star besides noting the elements of which it is composed. He believes that many of the lines in the spectrum which have for years confused scientists in the observation of heavenly bodies are the characteristic lines of elements under the stress of intense heat.

"There seems to be no limit to the possibility of new discoveries based on this one discovery that the distorted lines in the spectra of distant stars are not due to new elements but to old ones under heat influence. One of the strangest incidents of spectroscopic work was the actual discovery of one element, helium, in the sun before it was found on this earth."

Pioneer Associate of Miller Is Dead

Following many years of incurable illness, George V. Metzger, Oakland pioneer and oldest California butcher, following the death some time ago of Henry Miller, passed away at his home, 1116 Twelfth street, yesterday afternoon. The funeral will be held Monday morning at the residence. Both service and interment will be private.

When a youth, Metzger left his native land for the United States and opportunity. He crossed the plains, reaching California in 1866. In San Francisco, he met Henry Miller, later head of the Miller & Lux interests, and together the two worked for many years. Forty-two years ago, in 1874, Metzger left the transbay city and transferred his interests to this side of the bay.

Surviving members of the family include four daughters, Mrs. P. Zimmermann, Mrs. A. L. Bengle, Mrs. Anna Armer and Miss Minnie Metzger and two sons, Henry W. and William C. Metzger. Metzger was a native of Germany, 85 years old.

Train Crew Exonerated of Death of Woman

ALAMEDA, March 17.—The coroner's jury exonerated the train crew and the Southern Pacific from blame at an inquest held last night to inquire into the death of Mrs. Beulah Buchanan, 83-year-old woman, who was killed by a south side ferry train at Walnut station Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Buchanan was the mother-in-law of R. H. Gordon of 1226 Park avenue, and came to Alameda to live from Oakland a day before her death.

WIFE GIVEN DIVORCE.

RICHMOND, March 17.—After an all-day hearing, Superior Judge W. T. O'Donnell of Solano county, sitting in the Contra Costa court, granted a divorce to Mrs. Dottie Hottenger from Bernard Hottenger, giving Mrs. Hottenger custody of all of the children of the couple except Jessie, who was placed in control of the probation officer. Alimony of $35 was given to the wife. Cruelty and non support were the charges upon which the divorce was granted.

HARLOW HEADS ALUMNI.

RICHMOND, March 17. — George Harwas sent to the oculist Wednesday to the Alumni Association with the following chosen as associates: Miss Elizabeth Greathouse, vice-president; Miss Edith Delp, secretary and treasurer. The executive committee includes the above named officers and Clarence Brown, Miss Myrtle Pierce and Jack Parks. Phillip Angell is the retiring president of the association.

RUNAWAY GIRL CAUGHT.

RICHMOND, March 17. — When she of Mrs. Katherine Ozello of Sherman have her eye glasses adjusted. Miss Katherine Ozello, 17-year-old daughter of Mrs. Katherine Ozello of Sherman Island, ran away from home. She has been located in this city by the police and returned to her mother. The girl gave as her reason for running away that she wished to visit friends here.

PYTHIANS GIVE PARTY.

RICHMOND, March 17.—Tonight at Pythian Castle, the Pythian Sisters of Contra Costa Temple No. 113 will give a St. Patrick's party, at which dancing and whist will be the features. Refreshments have been prepared by a committee including Mrs. Zeb Knott, Mrs. Holloway and Mrs. P. K. Boyer.

ENTERTAINS FRIENDS.

RICHMOND, March 17.—Mrs. L. B. Barber entertained anumber of friends at her home with Mrs. Clara D. Horner as guest of honor. Games were played and refreshments served. Those present were Mrs. F. W. O'Brien, Mrs. C. D. Horner, Mrs. Roy Selby, Mrs. S. A. Stitt, Mrs. R. Petillon, Mrs. E. Woodworth, Mrs. I. Horner and Mrs. C. Moody.

MUNICIPAL FISH MART ADVOCATED

BERKELEY, March 17. — Mayor Irving is to appoint in the near future a committee to look into the possibilities of the establishment in Berkeley of a municipal fish distributing agency. His promise to do so followed an interview of Walter Thomas Mills of the citizens' committee on the high cost of living with the mayor and council.

So far as determined the committee will consist of Mayor Irving, City Attorney Frank D. Stringham, Commissioner E. T. Harms of the department of public supplies; Charles Wesley Reed, who framed the fish bill at the legislature; and Harry Quandt, a local dealer.

Mills urged the council the advisability of establishing some municipal means of purchasing fish directly from the fishermen and selling it to local citizens almost at cost.

"Great success has attended the establishment of a similar agency in Los Angeles," Mills stated, "although that was not brought about by council legislation. A committee of the council there approached the producers and after negotiations established the markets which have kept the price normal and the consumption large."

"UNLUCKY" THIEVES STEAL "JINX" AUTO

SAN JOSE, March 17.—Lester Narvaez and M. S. Garoutte were sentenced yesterday by Superior Judge J. R. Welch to serve 5 years for stealing an automobile belonging to Samuel G. Tompkins, a local attorney.

They were captured in the southern part of the state through the efforts of Sheriff A. B. Langford's office. The machine and prisoners were brought here by Deputy Sheriff Hamilton.

This is the fourth time Tompkins' car has been stolen.

Youths Are Sent to Ione Reformatory

SAN JOSE, March 17.—Frank Krahenberg, Russell Aiken, Joseph Angelo, Milton Wright, Louis Scheller and Frank Hatzmeier were sent to the reformatory at Ione today as a result of the action of the probation court yesterday for their parts in a score of recent robberies in San Jose and suburbs. The lads were the principals here last week in a sensational jail break.

All will remain until they attain their majority. The youngest is 18 years and the oldest 19.

Accused Fireman Is Permitted to Resign

ALAMEDA, March 17.—The police and fire commission heard charges last night against Fireman John R. Code. Code did not deny the charges, and was given an opportunity to resign which he promptly accepted.

Police Officer Jesse Rogers was retired on pension, the retirement to take effect April 1.

The commission did not appoint the new police officer allowed recently by the council, but announced that the officer would be named within a couple of days.

Stanford Girl to Be Army Officer's Bride

PALO ALTO, March 17.—Miss Anita Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus Allen, and one of the most widely popular girls who ever attended Stanford, has announced her engagement to Lieutenant H. P. Perrine, U. S. A., commanding officer of Fort Davis, Nome, Alaska.

She returned Monday from Columbia University where she has been studying in the school of journalism but kept her engagement a secret from all except her family until she made it known to her sorority sisters in the Delta Gamma house on the campus last night.

Miss Allen and Lieutenant Perrine met last summer while she was on a trip into the Arctic.

Constable's Son Will Face Term in Prison

SAN JOSE, March 17.—Lloyd Butler of Mountain View, son of a constable there, will appear in the Superior Court Monday for a second sentence in the penitentiary for burglary. Butler pleaded guilty and waived the services of an attorney.

His father arrested him and was instrumental in his conviction two years ago when he raided a pool parlor in Mountain View. He is charged with stealing over $1000 worth of jewelry from the home of C. A. Pomeroy near Santa Clara. He had the loot hidden in a chimney when arrested.

Auto Driver Hurt in Crash With S. P. Train

BERKELEY, March 17. — Driving an auto west on Delaware street this morning, Roy Feldhayn, a salesman residing at 1559 Solano avenue, rushed headon into a California street Southern Pacific electric train. His machine was badly smashed and he was picked up unconscious and hurried to Roosevelt Hospital.

While his face and body were a mass of contusions and bruises, Dr. J. J. Benton, who attended him, could find no serious injuries.

FORESTERS ENTERTAIN.

RICHMOND, March 17.—Independent Order of Foresters, Richmond, No. 4940, entertained last night at whist. Prior to the whist games a large class initiation took place. Another large class initiation will take place on the first Friday in April.

Training Camp Gossip

SAN FRANCISCO. — Willie Ritchie, who is in the east managing a youthful scrapper named Thompson, writes that his man has not succeeded in making a single match. Willie is coming back home.

NEW YORK. — Tom Cowler, local heavyweight, stopped Joe Bonds in the first round.

BUFFALO.—Jimmy Duffy, 145 pounds, Lockport, shaded Bryan Downey, 144½ pounds, Columbus, Ohio, in a ten round bout of many knock downs.

HONOLULU. — McCredie has cleared $400 on his trip to the islands and appears well satisfied, even though he has only half a club here. The Beavers never did pay much attention to winning ball games in the first two months of the season. They usually start to come late in June.

LOS ANGELES. — Joe Berger is likely to be picked up by Frank Chance and used at second base. Chick Mattick has signed a Vernon contract.

In the event of a railroad strike affecting passenger service on the Pacific coast, Prexy Baum has it all fixed up for a water circuit. With the Bees transferred to Sacramento, the athletes can travel to the Capitol by river boat, while Portland and Los Angeles can also be reached by water.

Young Al Drolette may be added to the Oaks' catching staff. He has been playing fine winter ball in the Imperial valley and is more seasoned than when with the locals in camp last spring.

Coffroth Reported to Be Interested

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Jimmy Coffroth, former fight promoter, today began taking an active personal interest between the match between Les Darcy and Jack Dillon which it is proposed to hold at Tiajuana, July 4. Coffroth says he is too busy to stage the fight personally, but he is said to be strongly in favor of permitting use of his Tiajuana race track for it.

Jack Kearns and Jim Griffin, who are back of the venture, today forwarded details of their plans to "Sunny Jim."

Brain Cell May Aid in War

Scientists Are Probing Tethelin

BERKELEY, March 17. — That tethelin, the contents of the pituitary cell in the brain, which was recently isolated for the first time by Dr. T. Brailsford Robertson of the University of California faculty, may be one contribution toward this nation's preparedness for war, is the newest hope of the scientists at the university. Their experiments thus far indicate that the substance will have a valuable use in the treatment of wounds and, if so, will mark this institution as having offered a notable assistance to the medical side of preparedness.

Investigations with regard to tethelin, its properties and uses are being continued by Dr. Robertson, Professor Theodore C. Burnett, Professor S. S. Maxwell, Dr. Rosalind Wulzen and others of the physiological department faculty. The investigations so far have extended only to the use of tethelin in animal experimentation, but the continued broadening of the possible uses of the substance thus indicated has aroused the profoundest interest of the investigators.

The earliest investigation of tethelin disclosed its properties as a growth-controlling substance. Its effect in the controlling of stature was considered only incidentally, and Dr. Robertson concluded that, while it would add nothing to height, its presence made for a stocky growth in the individual.

In the healing over of wounds it is now believed will be one of its chief possible uses in medical and surgical technique. The scientists investigating its properties are anxious at as early a moment as possible to employ it in human cases, both in this and other ways, to establish the correctness of their theory.

Officers Are Chosen by Endeavor Society

RICHMOND, March 17.—Officers were elected last night by the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church at the annual meeting and banquet held in the church. The new officers are: Miss Octavia Norton, president; first vice-president, Kendall Sanborn; secretary, Miss Jacqueline Parmeter; treasurer, James Parks; committee chairmn, prapr meeting, Kendall Sanborn; lookout, Miss Edith Pickett; social, Mrs. D. Smith; introduction and C. E. World, Homer Patterson; missions, Miss Evelyn Barber.

The banquet was prepared and served by the social committee of the society, composed of Miss Winifred Conwell, chairman; Homer Patterson, Miss Ethel Lambrecht and James Parks. Miss Norton, the newly elected president, is now visiting with relatives in Topeka, but will return within the next few weeks.

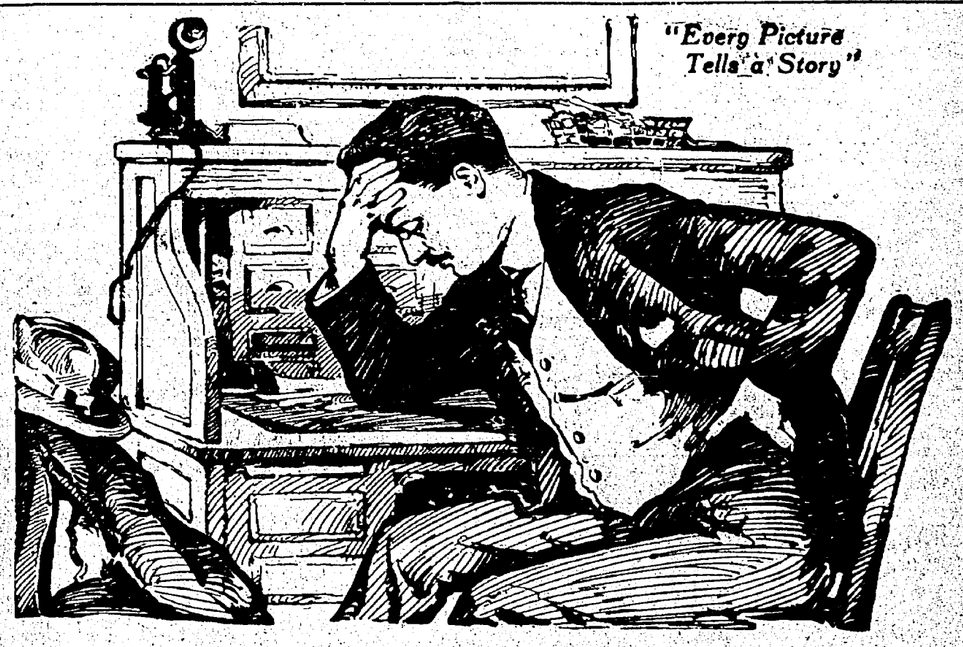
CARE OF WOUNDED WILL BE TAUGHT

BERKELEY, March 17.—How to care for wounded men, the use of bandages and splints, the prevention of infection in wounds, the transportation of the injured and their care of the sick in the home—these things are to be taught in a new evening class in "First Aid and Home Care of the Sick," to be inaugurated by the University of California Extension Division at 7 o'clock Monday evening, at 312 Lick building, 62 Post street, San Francisco.

The course will be conducted by Miss Laura Cairns, assistant in hygiene in the University of California. Besides care of wounds, fractures or other injuries, instruction will be given in the care of burns, frost bites, insect bites, unconsciousness, electric shock, fainting, apoplexy, epilepsy, heat exhaustion, suffocation, poisoning and drowning.

T. P. CLUB IS GUEST.

RICHMOND, March 17. — The T. P. Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. F. D. Brasch on Ninth street yesterday afternoon and 500 was played. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. Elmer Vaughn, Mrs. O. E. Snedley, Mrs. George Rock, Mrs. M. Rasmussen, Mrs. Jack McGraht, Mrs. T. Pfleger, Mrs. C. F. Donnelly, Mrs. Frank Clark, Mrs. E. P. Bryant, Mrs. Harry Bryant, Mrs. F. D. Brasch and Mrs. Alma Parks.



Has Winter Left You Miserable?

ARE you dull, tired, achy all over, bothered with a bad back? Do you feel all out of sorts? Do you lack the energy you need for the day's work? Don't worry so much about it! This is a common condition in March. So many of us neglect our exercise in winter, eat too heavily, indulge our desires too much, and get slow, lazy and half-efficient. Then, with the organs working badly, comes a chill, a cold or a grip attack and it weakens the kidneys. To get started right again, help the kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that has done so much for Oakland people.

Be Guided By These Oakland Cases

Henry Street

Mrs. H. E. Walmsley, 529 Henry St., says: "I caught cold and it settled in my kidneys and brought on an attack of kidney trouble. When I stooped over to put on my shoes in the morning a sharp pain often took me in my back and I could hardly straighten. I had a tired, languid feeling and didn't have much strength. My feet swelled awfully. Four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from The Owl Drug Co., relieved the backache and I felt like a different woman."

Twenty-Fifth Ave.

Josephus Lee, shoemaker, 2338 Twenty-fifth Ave., says: "Twelve years ago I first began to have trouble with my back and kidneys. At night, I was annoyed by pains across my loins and during the day I noticed this trouble as well. The close confinement and sitting for hours at the bench in a stooping position were the causes of this trouble. The kidney secretions were highly colored and too frequent in passage, obliging me to lose my rest at night. I used Donn's Kidney Pills and they proved of benefit in every way."

Thirty-Fifth Ave.

Mrs. Fred Petersen, 1738 Thirty-fifth Ave., says: "For a long time I have been troubled by pain in my back. If I bent over, I had to straighten up by degrees, and put my hand to my back for support. My kidneys were so weak that they caused me much annoyance, especially at night. I had headaches and dizzy spells and was in poor health. I used several boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and they restored me to good health. I have been well ever since."

Market Street

J. J. Wangan, 409 Market St., says: "I suffered a great deal from kidney trouble. My back pained terribly, in fact, I hardly ever knew what it was to be free from that trouble. My kidneys were disordered and I had headaches and attacks of dizziness. My condition kept growing worse and there seemed to be no help for me. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills and soon my back was as strong and free from pain as ever and not a sign of the old complaint remained. I have the same faith in Doan's Kidney Pills today as when I previously recommended them."

Peralta Street

Mrs. John King, 1320 Peralta St., says: "I had pains in my back so severe at times I could hardly straighten up. When I worked hard, particularly wash days, I suffered the most. When I bent over to pick up anything I could scarcely get up and the pain in my back and kidneys felt as if a knife were cutting me in two. The irregular action of my kidneys added to my annoyance. I used two or three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills altogether, and I was benefited in every way."

Birch St. (Elmhurst)

John F. Boyles, 9020 Birch St., Elmhurst, says: "Heavy lifting, together with getting wet and taking cold, affected my kidneys. I had a steady, severe pain in the small of my back and when I got down I could hardly straighten up. I was all played out; in fact, my whole system was affected as the result of the disordered condition of my kidneys. The kidney secretions burned in passage. I used about three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and was cured. The best of it is, I have stayed cured."

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SALOON MAN ROBBED BY LONE BANDIT

G. Beneditti, who conducts a saloon at Forty-fifth and Telegraph avenue, was held up and robbed early this morning of $500, most of which he had withdrawn from the bank yesterday and which was added to his day's receipts.

A lone bandit stepped out from between two buildings in Forty-fifth street as Beneditti was nearing his home at 595 Forty-fifth street. After ordering his victim to hold up his hands, the highwaymen went through his pockets and secured a sack in which he carried a bulk of the coin. He then demanded his overcoat which contained $60.

Beneditti told the police that he suspected a man who had entered his saloon shortly before closing time and who had lingered around drinking a glass of beer. He says this man, whom he had seen on several occasions saw him take the money out of the cash register and distribute it in his clothes. This belief on his part is strengthened by the fact that fifteen minutes later, the highwayman demanded his overcoat which contained money.

The bandit wore a mask and held a blue barreled revolver at Beneditti, who also says that the bandit corresponds in description to his last customer. The police have been given a good description of the man and Beneditti declares that he can identify him if he is captured.

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Births, Deaths, Marriage Licenses

MARRIAGE LICENSES

ELVERT-MERRIL—Baldwin Elvert, 40, and Cora Merril, 24, both of Alameda.
NERANDA-SILVA—John F. Neranda, 22, and Angelan R. Silva, 16, both of Hayward.
WULZZER-BOREL—William J. Wulzzer, 27, and Grace F. Borel, 24, both of Sacramento.
GAYLOR-EVANS—Lisle H. Gaylor, 21, and Dorothy Le Evans, 21, both of Oakland.
GELDHOF-EAREA—Fredric Geldhof, 27, and Emma Earea, 27, both of San Francisco.
JOHNSON-GRIPPI—Elwood Johnson, 21, and Angie Grippi, 18, both of Napa.
SWARTS-WILKES—Theodore S. Swarts, 23, and Estelle N. Wilkes, 18, both of Oakland.
JANATH-PETERSON—George H. Janath, Jr., 28, Oakland, and Margaret Peterson, 23, San Francisco.

SANTA CLARA LICENSES.

HUNTLEY-DUNNING—Andrew Alexander Huntley, 23, Banta, San Joaquin county, and Laura Ellen Dunning, 19, Campbell.
PELTON-GLASGOW—William Charles Pelton, 32, and Abbie Jean Glasgow, 32, Los Angeles.

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HELENA, Mont.—Governor Sam V. Stewart today vetoed the niheritance tax bill passed by the recent legislature.

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HAVANA. — Conditions throughout Cuba display a gradually, but steady, return to normal, says an official statement issued from the government palace, and all sugar mills are grinding.

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DES MOINES.—Charles Crill, railway detective, was instantly killed and Patrolman W. R. Ballus was seriously injured by twelve men who they surprised in the act of breaking into loaded cars on sidetracks of the Northwestern yards.

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BOISE, Idaho.—The workmen's compensation bill was signed today by Governor Alexander.

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SANTA ROSA, March 17.—Falling 20 feet over a cliff and saving himself from a 200-foot drop by clinging to a frail bit of underbrush, Hans Mierbach of Cloverdale, hung himself by his wrists to a snub last night and remained there for two hours while buzzards circled around him, believing him dead.

DEATHS

CROSPHWAITE—In this city, March 16, 1917, James C., beloved son of William T. and Helen M. Crosphwaite, a native of San Francisco.
HUBBARD—In this city, March 17, 1917, Anna C., beloved wife of Carl C. Hubbard and loving mother of Evelyn and Vivian Hubbard, a native of Washington, aged 29 years, 9 months and 23 days.
Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Monday, March 19, at 1:30 p. m., at her late residence, 3838 Grove street, Oakland.
PRENVEILLE—In this city, March 17, 1917, Mrs. Mary Rose Prenveille, loving mother of A. E. M. Prenveille, a native of France, aged 79 years.
Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Monday, March 19, 1917, at 9 o'clock a. m., from the residence of her son, 1186 1st avenue, thence to St. Anthony's church, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Interment, St. Mary's cemetery.
METZGER—At rest, in this city, March 16, 1917, George V. Metzger, loving husband of the late Anna Metzger, and devoted father of Mrs. P. Zimmermann, Mrs. A. L. Bangle, Mrs. Anna Armer, Miss Minnie Metzger and Henry W. and William C. Metzger, a native of Germany, aged 84 years, 11 months and 19 days.
Funeral services will be held Monday, at 10:30 o'clock, at his late residence, 1116 12th street. Funeral services and interment strictly private. Please omit flowers.
REXFORD—March 9, 1917, Rev. W. L. Rexford of North Carolina.
VAUGHN—In this city, March 17, 1917, Alice F. Vaughn, wife of James A. Vaughn and aunt of Robert P. and Joseph H. Vaughn and Mrs. J. D. Schultz, a native of Tennessee, aged 57 years.

SAN FRANCISCO DEATHS.

Antognini, G. A.—58	Mahoney, Jeremiah W.
Bartholomew, Margaret Dorothy—4 days	McGowan, Walter—25
Baker, Charles S.—57	Markel, Anna—56
Buchanan, Beulah	McCarthy, John W.—83
Coogle, Walter J.—65	McCulloch, Annie
Cox, Anna Forsythe	McGill, Helen—2
Curran, Catherine M.—73	Mejia, Encarnacion—76
Doscher, Claus—43	Metzger, George V.—85
Elvgreen, Eric A.—27	Murphy, Annie J.
Holleran, Mary	Nicholson, Margaret E.—26
Hasshagen, Wilhelmina C.	Nicora, Charles, Jr.—17
Holm, Isidore N.—74	O'Driscoll, Maria
Jones, David O.—83	Pajunen, Hilma—36
Lorenzetti, Norman—1	Rossi, Amelie A.—55
Lehane, Catherine—28	Strand, William A.
McCarthy, Daniel C. B.	Stern, Alice Ferns
	Rosenblum, Bena—70
	Wolff, Elma

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MILLS INSTRUCTOR TO STUDY IN EAST

Professor Elizabeth Hermann, head of the German department of Mills' College, the first California woman to win the Anna C. Brackett scholarship for success in teaching research, has been granted a year's leave of absence by the college board of trustees so that she may take a course of advanced study in the east. She is a graduate of the University of California, and has been at Mills for the last ten years. No one has yet been appointed to take Professor Hermann's place in her absence.

Mrs. Kate C. Wood of New York has been appointed one of the instructors in the normal course for public school music teachers at Mills College.

Excavation of the site for the new $125,000 dormitory at Mills College will be started next week, arrangements for the start of the work being made at a meeting of the board of trustees yesterday.

AGED WOMAN IS GIVEN DIVORCE; MARRIED IN 1906

Frances Trafton, 82 years old, this morning was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Matthew E. Trafton, 84.

In her original complaint Mrs. Trafton charged failure to provide but was not able to prove this to the satisfaction of Court Commissioner Clarence Crowell and later filed an amended complaint alleging desertion. The date of the alleged desertion being January 10, 1916.

The couple were married September 17, 1906. Mrs. Trafton was the widow of a Civil War veteran and hopes by getting this divorce to regain her pension.

STARS AT FRANKLIN.

For three days, commencing tomorrow, the Franklin offers Dorothy Dalton and Charles Ray in a Triangle-Kay Bee photoplay, "Back of the Man." The story is that of a youth of brilliant parts who is assisted to a position of power by the answering loyalty of a little stenographer. With Miss Dalton and Charles Ray is Margaret Thompson, Jack Livingstone and J. Barney Sherry.

TEACHERS TO GET INCREASE IN PAY

A high cost of living committee of the Oakland board of education has been named as the result of requests from the school teachers that a 20 percent increase in their salaries be considered when the budget for the new fiscal year is prepared.

The committee will investigate conditions relative to the expenses of an average teacher taking into consideration the sphere in which they must live. It is claimed by the teachers that a salary of $100 a month if expended judiciously leaves them little over $100 balance at the end of twelve months. If they have doctor or dentist bills they must go into debt, they say. A general increase in some amount has practically been assured by the members of the board.

The committee appointed includes: H. B. Brasfield, chairman; Lewis B. Avery, assistant superintendent of schools; Dr. Richard G. Boone, Miss R. E. Beaty, president of the School Women's Club; N. A. Ricciardi, president of the school principal's club; Miss Cora E. Hampel; Roscoe D. Jones, president of the civil service board; and one representative each from the Alameda County Tax Association, the Chamber of Commerce and the Board of Supervisors.

Suit Is Filed for Interest in Mines

Just what right the government of the United States has in the Alameda tide lands, as a dumping ground for dredger silt is to be determined by Superior Judge T. W. Harris, following a suit against the San Francisco Bridge Company following the breaking of levees on the Alameda highway and the spoiling of the bathing beaches on the south shore of the city.

The defendant company, which is doing the dredging, hold that the government, for which it is working, has paramount power to dredge channels for navigation and cannot be arrested in the offer for damages. An action for damages may lie, but not action to stop the work, they claim.

Irish Program Is Planned at School

An Irish night of Gaelic melody, poetry and drama will be celebrated Monday evening when the Fruitvale School Parent-Teachers Association entertains at the educational structure, Boston avenue and School street. William W. Lyman, M. A., an instructor at the University of California, will speak on Irish poets and dramatists, illustrating his points with excerpts from the island's literature. A program of Irish vocal and instrumental music also will be rendered.

Missing Man Shows Up With Gun; Arrested

While the police were searching for Howard Clark who is wanted on a failure to provide warrant sworn to by his wife, he appeared at her home, 1422 Thirty-ninth avenue last night and threatened her with a revolver, according to the complaint of Mrs. T. Kosta, a neighbor of 3772 Marion avenue, who telephoned an alarm to the police. Corporal Wallman and a posse of officers responded but by the time they arrived Clark had fled.

ERIN'S SONS DO HONOR TO ST. PATRICK

With holiday and rejoicing, with dance and song, with flaunting of emerald green in the attire of men and women, the memory of Saint Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, was celebrated in Oakland today. The Irish are like the British Empire in that the sun never sets upon them, and Oakland has its proportionate share of the children of the green Isle of the Blessed. All who could trace through the remotest ancestor a drop of Irish blood in their veins were today wearing the shamrock or a bit if green in honor of the "old country" and the man who introduced Christianty among the Irish Picts in the territory of Dal Araide in 432.

It is a curious coincidence that the saint honored in every clime as the patron of the people most noted for emigration should have been himself an enforced emigrant from Britain to Ireland when he was fifteen years old. He was carried off in a Polish raid upon a settlement at the head of the Solway near the Roman wall of Severus in 411 and sold into slavery on the opposite Irish coast. He remained there for six years tending cattle on the Slemish mountains in county Antrim until he finally escaped.

INSPIRED WITH IDEA.

But during his captivity he had become inspired with the idea of converting the Irish Picts to Christianity, and as soon as he reached his native land again, he prepared himself for his mission. Like St. Paul, who dreamed of the man from Macedonia summoning him, St. Patrick dreamed of one Victoricus coming to him with epistles, in one of which read the words: "The voice of the Irish." In his Confession he says: "I imagined that I heard in my mind the voice of those who were near the wood of Fochland, which is near the western sea, and thus they cried: 'We pray thee, holy youth, to come and henceforth walk amongst us.'"

The result of the mission was the establishment of the Irish Church and a long service ending with his death in 469. Around his name clusters a mass of mythical stories, all emphasizing the benevolent character and self-sacrificing life of the missionary.

The celebration of St. Patrick's Day began last evening with entertainments in Moose hall and the West Oakland auditorium and was continued today. This evening, there will be gatherings in honor homes, there will be gatherings in honor of the occasion.

SAN FRANCISCO CELEBRATION.

In San Francisco one of the most elaborate celebrations of the day in the history of the city was carried out, commencing with a parade at nine o'clock in the morning and ending with a grand ball this evening in the Civic Auditorium. A solemn high mass was celebrated in St. Mary's cathedral at half past ten by the Very Rev. John J. Cantwell, assisted by the Rev. John Hunt, the Rev. Timothy Moynihan, the Rev. Dennis O. Crowley, the Rev. Patrick J. Foote, the Rev. Charles A. Ramm and the Rev. William P. Sullivan. The panegyric was pronounced by the Rev. Francis P. McElroy of San Rafael.

HENEY ASKED TO QUIT CITY JOB; IS NOT AT WORK

SANTA MONICA, March 17.—The city commission has voted to ask Francis J. Heney for his resignation as city attorney. Heney has been in Washington on other business for more than two months and the commission feels that its legal affairs have not been given the proper attention.

You Can Make Excellent Cake with Fewer Eggs

Just use an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

This applies equally well to nearly all baked foods. Try the following recipe according to the new way:

CREAM LAYER CAKE

Old Way	New Way
1 cup sugar	1 cup sugar
½ cup milk	1 cup milk
2 cups flour	2 cups flour
2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder	4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
3 eggs	1 egg
½ cup shortening	2 tablespoons shortening
1 teaspoon flavoring	1 teaspoon flavoring

Makes 1 Large 2-Layer Cake

DIRECTIONS—Cream the sugar and shortening together, then mix in the egg. After sifting the flour and Royal Baking Powder together two or three times, add it all to the mixture. Gradually add the milk and beat with spoon until you have a smooth pour batter. Add the flavoring. Pour into greased layer cake tins and bake in a moderately hot oven for twenty minutes. This cake is best baked in two layers. Put together with cream filling and spread with white icing

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
made from Cream of Tartar, derived from grapes.
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Police Seeking Pearl Thieves

LOS ANGELES, March 17.—The police were asked to aid in the recovery of a pearl necklace valued at $80,000 to $100,000, which was reported as stolen from Mrs. Frank Sullivan-Smith of New York.

The necklace consisted of sixty-seven pearls, said to be perfectly matched, given to Mrs. Sullivan-Smith by her father. Smith is president of the Shawmut Mining Company and the Shawmut Coal and Coke Company and is an officer and director of other corporations.

The necklace was missed by Mrs. Smith on Wednesday upon her return to the Beverly Hills Hotel, where she and her husband have been staying, from afternoon tea in a downtown hotel.

Private detectives were called into the case to avoid publicity, but today the matter was presented to the police.

The necklace recently was cleaned and polished by jewelers here, and their detailed description of the stones made for their recovery has been sent throughout the country.

A reward of $1000 was offered today by the jewelers for information leading to recovery of the necklace.

Four Children Ask Aid to Find Mother

ST. LOUIS, March 17.—Four children living alone in Chicago have asked the St. Louis police to aid them to find their mother, Mrs. Mary Minter. Their father separated from her in St. Louis during the world's fair, Roy Minter, 19 years old, writes, and took them to Chicago, where he placed them in homes. He later went to the Pacific Coast and remarried. The children, besides Roy, are Jesse, 17; Grace, 13, and Ethel, 14.

Submarine Liner Brings Teuton Mail

ATLANTA, Ga., March 17.—That the German submarine liner Deutschland secretly visited some point on the coast of the United States late in January or early in February and discharged mail was indicated here today when a letter mailed in Berlin December 26 and bearing the postmark "Deutschland" was exhibited by R. C. DeSaussure.

The letter contained a receipt for papers sent to the writer by DeSaussure and stated the writer had been given permission to send the receipt via the Deutschland. The letter was stamped with two ten-pfennig German stamps and bore no United States postmark whatever, although it reached DeSaussure through the regular postoffice channels. Local postoffice authorities could throw no light on how the letter came to be in the United States mails or where it came from.

Lineman Electrocuted in Repairing Wires

MARION, Ind., March 17.—Benjamin Action of Hallsville, Mo., was electrocuted while repairing electric wires torn down in the storm here. Richard Livingstone of Columbus, O., a victim of the same accident, may die. Clyde Hoffman of St. Louis was badly stunned. They were members of a gang of men sent here from Columbus, O.

Belgian Relief Ships Will Be Safeguarded

NEW YORK, March 17.—Germany has communicated with all her submarine commanders and all shipping of the commission for relief in Belgium will be safeguarded after March 15, according to cable advices received at the offices of the commission here today. The northern route is stipulated for the relief ships, however.

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OF LOCAL FERRY TRAINS
FROM OAKLAND AND BERKELEY TO SAN FRANCISCO
(DAILY EXCEPT AS NOTED)

BERKELEY				OAKLAND			
Univ Ave. and Shattuck		Claremont		12th and Broadway		22nd & Bdwy.	
*5 40	3 20	*5 32	3 12	*5 40	3 40	*5 42	3 22
6 00	3 40	5 52	3 32	6 00	4 00	6 02	3 42
6 20	4 00	6 12	3 52	6 20	4 20	6 22	4 02
6 40	4 20	6 32	4 12	6 40	4 40	6 42	4 22
7 00	4 40	6 52	4 32	7 00	5 00	7 02	4 42
7 20	5 00	7 12	4 52	7 20	*5 18	7 22	5 02
7 40	5 20	7 32	5 12	7 40	†5 20	7 42	5 22
8 00	*5 35	7 52	5 32	8 00	*5 33	8 02	*5 37
8 20	†5 40	8 12	*5 48	8 20	†5 40	8 22	†5 42
8 40	*5 50	8 32	†5 52	8 40	*5 48	8 42	*5 52
9 00	†6 00	8 52	*6 02	9 00	†6 00	9 02	†6 02
9 20	*6 05	9 12	†6 12	9 20	*6 08	9 22	*6 07
9 40	6 20	9 32	6 32	9 40	*6 18	9 42	6 22
10 00	6 40	9 52	6 52	10 00	†6 20	10 02	6 42
10 20	7 00	10 12	7 12	10 20	6 40	10 22	7 02
10 40	7 20	10 32	7 32	10 40	7 00	10 42	7 22
11 00	7 40	10 52	7 52	11 00	7 20	11 02	7 42
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12 00	8 40	11 52	‡8 52	12 00	‡8 20	12 02	8 42
12 20	‡9 00	12 12	9 12	12 20	8 40	12 22	‡9 02
12 40	9 20	12 32	‡9 32	12 40	‡9 00	12 42	9 22
1 00	‡9 40	12 52	9 52	1 00	9 20	1 02	‡9 42
1 20	10 00	1 12	‡10 12	1 20	‡ 9 40	1 22	10 02
1 40	‡10 20	1 32	10 32	1 40	10 00	1 42	‡10 22
2 00	10 40	1 52	‡10 53	2 00	‡10 20	2 02	10 42
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2 40	11 20	2 32	11 52	2 40	‡11 00	2 42	11 22
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* Daily except Sunday. † Sunday only. ‡ Saturday and Sunday only.
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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PHONE OAK. 4127.

Society

Far up in the [illegible] hills, where it has stood for [illegible] half-century, is the handsome [illegible] residence presided over by Mrs. Is[illegible] Requa. The most distinguishing [illegible]ure of the big pile of yellow wall[illegible] the tower, which may be seen from [illegible] over the bay region. And topping [illegible] tower is a flagstaff. No idle orn[illegible]tion is it, but something whic[illegible]ed on every and all occasions [illegible] patriotic citizen has opportun[illegible] homage to that insistent b[illegible]gible thing we call love of c[illegible]. At sunup the flag is unfurled, [illegible] it come down until the glow[illegible] has sunk itself behind the [illegible] Gate. Not only on days tha[illegible] the most calloused American[illegible] without turning to the pages [illegible]y, but even on those less fam[illegible]asions which bear significan[illegible] life of the country, is the be[illegible] ceremony observed. And those [illegible] sight of the tower watch its [illegible] as a beacon to their patriotism [illegible]ave they ever been disappointed [illegible]eir glimpsing of the waving banner?

But the flag [illegible]ats now each day. Mrs. Requa is [illegible] first Piedmontese to adopt the custom, which in the last few months has become prevalent throughout the east. It may be even that she is the first Californian who steadfastly commands that the Stars and Stripes shall appear each day on a private home. It is at once an acknowledgment and pledge of her loyalty to her home land and its destiny.

Everywhere in the east is the flag in evidence. Tourists bring back the story of the wonderful sights of homes, large and small; of stores and offices and factories and of public buildings fluttering with its red, white and blue. It was her son, Mark Requa, in one of his first letters home, who told of the moving sight and inspired Mrs. Requa to adopt the ceremony of the flag raising.

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That Raymond T. Baker going forth from Oakland to mingle in national and international affairs, he and Mrs. Alfred Vanderbilt have resumed their cordial friendship, and that there is a basis of something more than platonic feelings, is the rumor which one of the widely-read eastern magazines gives space to. Whether or no a betrothal between the widow of the Vanderbilt heir who lost his life in the sinking of the Lusitania and the director of the mint, of the United States is to be announced is purely a matter of speculation. However, Baker and Mrs. Vanderbilt have before experienced the public declaration of their purpose to wed, and it may be that they will continue the even tenor of their way along quite separate paths. It will not be forgotten that when Mrs. Margaret Emerson McKim took up her residence in Reno that she might secure her freedom from a first marriage, she and the youthful state warden of Nevada saw much of each other. So much, in fact, that their approaching marriage was considered an inevitable culmination. But the charming woman decided on a trip around the world. And when the circle was completed suddenly she plighted her troth to Vanderbilt. Since his death she has lived with simplicity in New York, devoted to her two little sons.

MISS DORA ATWATER, who is enjoying a final whirl of festivities before her departure for Salvador next month, was the motif of a bridge party given this afternoon by Mrs. William Laughlin (Marjorie Fisher).

In the meantime Baker went to St. Petersburg, in the diplomatic service, and recently achieved distinction in his appointment to the directorship of mints. But when he can steal away from the cares of state he spends much time in New York.

At present Mrs. George W. Baker is with her son in Washington, D. C., leaving Oakland but a few weeks ago for an indefinite sojourn. And after her departure the betrothal of another son, George W. Baker Jr., to Miss Carmen Ghirardelli gave society a surprise.

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The matrons and maids of the smart set who have turned from golf and tennis and sports of the terra firma to give all their time and devotion to the water, whether it be in the tanks of the ever-popular local baths or on the beach itself, are anxiously awaiting the latest announcements of bathing costumes. There is a whole procession of girls who might well be able to enter into open competition with the professional swimmers and hold their own with honors. Miss Ida Henshaw, the charming debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Henshaw, is a marvel in the water. In the same coterie of close friends are Miss Marguerite Black, Miss Doris Bornemann, Mrs. Robert Huntington, Mrs. Dudley Dexter, Mrs. Pearl Cawston Fillmore and Mrs. Fritz Henshaw.

They have worn for the most part the one-piece suit in somber colors, but the coming of spring will bring a change to even the tanks. The same brilliant hues which mark the sport suits and trotting gowns and intrude themselves in the evening dresses are bound to create a bright spot when the first relay of the water garb appears in the shops.

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Mrs. Duncan McDuffie will be hostess to a congenial party of friends at the tea dance which will be given on April 28 at the Fairmont hotel, concluding the wild flower fete. The unusual affair, which, in a way, will reproduce the out-door life of California's fields is being arranged as a benefit for the Boys' Outing Farm, near Saratoga, in which so many of the local women are interested. More than 1000 species of wild florae will be shown during the three days of the fete, arranged under the direction of Mark Daniels, former superintendent of national parks.

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Mrs. Conway Evans, who was so warmly welcomed about the bay earlier in the season is at present in southern California, where she is being made much of. The smart set has been thoroughly enjoying this interesting woman, who has traveled in the remote places of the globe and seen many peoples through eyes that were at once humorous and keen. During her stay here Mrs. Evans was entertained extensively on both sides of the bay.

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A genuine welcome is being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neville, who came up from their attractive quarters in Del Monte to spend a week or so about the bay. They are guests at the St. Francis, and many lovely things are being done in their honor. Mrs. Neville was an unusually fortunate bride, coming into the possession of a store of fine old silver and priceless mahogany which has been in the Neville family for many centuries. The silver, which is massive, is in quaint designs, with lines of unusual grace, and the wonderful old pieces of furniture make a collection which royalty might envy.

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Mrs. Fred Slemmons will read a group of her delightful monologues Tuesday, when the chairmen of the philanthropic, and home sections, under the Oakland Federation of Mothers' Clubs, gather in the Harrison Street school. Each matron will take with her a garment which a little child might need and complete it at the informal luncheon which will be served between the hours of 11:30 a. m. and 2 p. m. An interesting address will be given by Mrs. Sybil Heyer before the adjournment.

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Mrs. George D. Greenwood is opening her handsome home Wednesday afternoon for an opera recital which Sydney Francis Hoben will give in supplement to the series of four presentations which have taken place during lent. More than 100 of the smartest of the matrons in the east shores have reserved their Wednesday afternoons to devote to these delightful studies of the newer musical writings. "Don Quixote," the brilliant, dashing thing which has created so much comment, will be the theme next week. Hoben is sailing shortly for Honolulu, en route to New Zealand, but plans to return to California again next spring.

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A wonderfully delightful affair of yesterday afternoon was the bridge tea at which Mrs. Burlington Carlisle entertained a score of friends at her home in Oakvale avenue. The congenial coterie included a group of intimates, who spent an enjoyable hour about the card tables, rounded out with a chat over the tea cups.

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One of the interesting visitors in Oakland is Mrs. B. F. Palmerton, who is spending some weeks as the house guest of Mrs. Charles William Wiegel, at her handsome home in Linda Vista. Mrs. Palmerton is one of the society and club leaders in Seattle, where for many years she has been the fairy godmother to most of the newer movements. She presided as president of the exclusive Century Club and was the founder of the day nursery which is one of society's pets in the northern city, and of which she was executive for five years. There are many pretty favors being shown Mrs. Palmerton during the sojourn in the east shore cities.

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The Shamrock party at which the women of the Oakland Center of the California Civic League received 500 guests yesterday at Hotel Oakland was quite all the success that even the most ambitious of them anticipated. Mrs. Charles Leonard Smith with her groups of women who directed the brilliant event have added to the treasury a comfortable sum, which will be used to further the civic work throughout the State under the direction of the California League.

EVEN CROSS, SICK CHILDREN LOVE SYRUP OF FIGS

Look at Tongue! If Feverish, Bilious, Constipated, Take No Chances.

"California Syrup of Figs" Can't Harm Tender Stomach, Liver, Bowels.

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teasponful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.—Advertisement.

Portland Men Roiled on U. S. Alaska Bids

PORTLAND, Ore., March 17.—Business interests in Portland threaten to make a peremptory demand on the Secretary of the Interior that the contract for furnishing 12,000,000 feet of lumber for the government railroad in Alaska be awarded on the bids recently opened by the Alaska railroad commission's purchasing department.

Strong protests have been wired to the Oregon senators at Washington against the readvertising for bids. It is declared that Dent & Russell of this city bid $183,000, or 80 cents a thousand less than any other bidder on the order.

Gari's Bedtime Stories

By HOWARD R. GARIS.

"Oh, did you hear about it?" asked Jennie Chipmunk of Squeakie-Eekie, the little cousin mouse.

"Hear of what?"

"Oh, go on do tell us!" exclaimed Alice Wibblewobble, the duck girl. The three little animal friends were standing near the edge of the duck pond, and Alice was waiting for her sister Lulu to come along, when they would both go swimming.

"Well, did you hear about Uncle Wiggily and the two sticks?" asked Jennie.

"No! What was it?" asked Squeakie-Eekie.

"Why Susie wanted a new lace dress covered with diamonds, to go to the Wibblewobble duck party, but she had none," said Jennie. "She told Uncle Wiggily about it and he rubbed two sticks together and then he saw Mrs. Spin Spider and she spun Susie a new dress with dewdrops on for diamonds and fireflies to light them up."

"I don't see what the two sticks had to do with it," said Alice. "Uncle Wiggily would have seen Mrs. Spin Spider without the sticks, and she could have made the dress and all the rest of it anyhow."

"Well, I don't know any more about it than what I've told you," said Jennie. "Only it happened, I'm sure of that."

"Let's us try it," said Alice. "We can rub two sticks together, and maybe if we do, something will happen."

So the animal girls each found two sticks, and began rubbing them together as hard as they could. But nothing like fairy business happened.

To be sure Alice Wibblewobble rubbed her two sticks together so hard that she made a blister on her hand, which was not at all nice.

Jennie broke one of her two sticks by pressing down too hard on it, and she got a splinter in her paw. As for Squeakie-Eekie, she lost one of her sticks and the other flew off in the bushes and could not be found.

"Puff!" said Alice. "I don't think much of this. Nothing at all fairy-like happened."

"Maybe they weren't the right kind of sticks?" said Jennie.

"Perhaps we didn't say the right kind of magical words," spoke Squeakie-Eekie. "Uncle Wiggily knows lots of funny magical words to say."

"Let's try again," said Alice, the duck girl, and they did, saying all the magical words they knew, such as "Asthabula, Oricono, Fan-Tods, Fiddle-sticks and Kill-u-lu."

But even then nothing happened, and the girls were just going to give up, when through the woods came hopping Uncle Wiggily Longears, the rabbit gentleman himself.

"Oh, Uncle Wiggily!" cried Jennie. "We've tried every way we know to make magic out of two sticks, but we can't do it."

"Maybe you don't just do it right," said the funny gentleman. "Now, I have two sticks here. They are just any two I could pick up around any new house that was being built. I'll do some magic with them if you like."

"Oh, yes, Uncle Wiggily, please do," begged the girls. So the bunny uncle had them get him some pieces of string and some sheets of newspaper.

"With these and the two sticks I will do a wonderful trick," said the bunny uncle.

"What will you do?" asked Alice, who always liked to know ahead of time what was coming.

"Oh, I think I'll do the trick of making one of you little girls rise up in the air like a skyrocket, only not so far and not so fast," said the rabbit gentleman.

"You can't do it—not with those sticks," said Jennie Chipmunk.

"Oh, well, maybe he can," said Squeakie-Eekie. "Uncle Wiggily is wonderful."

"Just you watch!" said the bunny uncle, sort of twinkling his pink nose like a sunflower just before it goes to bed.

With some of the strings Uncle Wiggily tied the two sticks together like a cross. Then he put some string on the outside ends of the sticks.

"Oh, I know what he's going to make!" cried Alice.

"Hush! Don't tell! It's a trick!" said Uncle Wiggily. "And truly just as magical as any in the Arabian Nights. Now, Squeakie-Eekie, you are the littlest—I'll have the two magical sticks carry you up in the air like a balloon!"

"Oh, I'll fall!" cried the mousie girl.

"No, you needn't be afraid; you won't fall. Excuse me for a few moments, ladies and gentleman." And Uncle Wiggily bowed like a magician on the stage when he is going to make two pigeons come out of a bottle of perfumery.

He went off in the woods a little way, Uncle Wiggily did, and pretty soon he came back wit ha string, which he tied to a basket made of birch bark and then put the little mouse girl in it.

"Now, all ready! Don't be afraid! Hold tight! Away you go, Squeakie-Eekie! Come, Magical Sticks, take the little mouse girl up in the air!" Thus cried the bunny.

And, would you believe me?—and kindly I hope you do—the little mouse girl, without anything but the string and bark basket showing, arose straight up in the air!

"Oh, it is wonderful!" chattered Jennie Chipmunk. "How did you do it, Uncle Wiggily?"

He left her out to the open place in the woods as the little mouse girl was being lifted gently a little way from the ground by the strange string.

And then the three little animal girls saw sailing up in the air a kite, and to the kite was fastened one end of the string, while the other end was fast to the birch bark cradle, in which rested the little mousie girl cousin.

"Oh, I see how you did it!" cried Jennie. "With the two sticks, some paper and string you made a kite, and a kite is quite as wonderful as a cobweb dress with diamond dew drops on it."

"Exactly," said Uncle Wiggily. "And it shows you, after all, that magic is easier to do than we think." Then he gave the other animal girls a ride in the kite airship.

Girls Will Aid to Raise Fund for New Hospital

To Sell Dainties at Big Benefit Game; Many Enthusiasts

An army of pretty girls is invading the downtown shopping and business districts today closing the ticket selling campaign for the big benefit baseball game between the Cubs and the Oaks which will be played Monday afternoon.

The game is sponsored by the east bay fraternal organizations headed by the Moose, the Elks, the Knights of Columbus, the Native Sons of the Golden West, the Eagles and the National Union. The receipts at the gate and in the concessions have been donated by Charles H. Weeghman, president of the Cubs, and J. Cal Ewing, owner of the Oaks, to the building fund of Providence Hospital.

The fraternities enlisted the support of the women, and as a consequence a splendid advance sale of seats is reported. A. Vander Nallen Jr. reports that all of the twenty-eight boxes have been sold. H. Luckenbach, chairman of the concessions committee, has completed arrangements for the handling of gallons of ice cream, many pecks of peanuts, many pounds of candy, a gross or more of toy balloons and other novelties.

Aiding Luckenbach will be the two-score young women who will hawk the wares. "Lady peanut butchers" are certainly an innovation at the Oakland ball park.

Final arrangements for the automobile parade have been made by F. H. Woodward and his committee.

The parade will start from the Hotel Oakland at 1:15 o'clock Monday afternoon at a signal blown by two buglers from the local company of National Guard. Chief of Police Walter J. Petersen and staff will ride in the first auto. Following will be ten machines carrying the forty Cubs and Oaks, four in each car. Then will follow the girls and young women who will vend peanuts, popcorn and chewing candy at the park, the Moose boy scouts under the direction of Al Moffitt, the five Yama Yama men of the Moose, the baseball committee of the combined fraternal organizations that arranged the benefit ball game and all others who care to participate.

Leaders of the women ticket-selling forces are Mrs. P. N. Hanrahan, Mrs. Augustine S. Beltink, Miss Eva Pine of the Native Daughters, chairman; Miss Margaret Smith of Alameda.

Monday night the Cubs will be the guests of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce at a smoker to be held in the club rooms, seventh floor, Hotel Oakland. Harry C. Bell is arranging the details.

MISS DOROTHEA BROWN, one of the young women, who will sell refreshments at the ball game between the Cubs and the Oaks for the benefit of Providence Hospital.

Governor Stephens Speaker at Stockton

STOCKTON, March 17.—Governor William D. Stephens was the guest of honor and principal speaker at the fiftieth anniversary banquet of Stockton Commandery, Knights Templars, last night. The Governor was escorted by brother knights to the banquet room in Hotel Stockton. More than 200 members of the order heard the Governor, a past grand commander, speak on strictly fraternal topics.

Stockton commandery was instituted March 16, 1867, and has been honored with the selection of two of its members, Isaac Stevens Titus, now dead, and Edward Richard Hedges, as grand commanders.

La Follette Given Praise by Alliance

MILWAUKEE, March 17.—The Milwaukee branch of the German-American National Alliance passed resolutions praising Senator La Follette for his stand against the armed neutrality bill in the Senate and urging members of the state legislature not to pass any motion censuring Senator La Follette for the filibuster. The alliance represents 10,000 German-Americans in Milwaukee, the resolutions say.

"Bud" Fisher Files Answer to Divorce

NEW YORK, March 17.—Henry C. Fisher, known as "Bud" Fisher, cartoonist, filed his answer in the Supreme Court to the divorce suit brought by Mrs. Margaret Pauline Fisher, in which he denies his wife's charges and makes a counter-claim for divorce, naming eleven co-respondents.

Mrs. Fisher, who was Miss Pauline Walsh, a vaudeville actress when she married the cartoonist in 1912, has named an unknown woman. She wants $25,000 a year alimony, saying her husband has an income of $100,000 a year.

Among the co-respondents mentioned by Fisher are a theatrical manager, a well known moving picture actor, a banker with offices in Wall street and living on Riverside drive, an automobile man of Detroit, a physician and two horsemen, and another whose occupation is noted stated living in Washington.

Whitman Removes Athletic Board Chief

ALBANY, N. Y., March 17.—Governor Whitman today removed from office Frederick A. Wencke, chairman of the state athletic commission, following charges filed against him by Harry Pollock and Patrick Powers, asking that he be removed from office.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Advt.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled into the foot-bath. It relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Use it when you put on rubbers or heavy stockings. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain relief for sweating, callous, tired, aching feet. Sold by Druggists everywhere, 25c. Always use it to Break in new shoes. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.—Advertisement.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
A toilet preparation of merit.
Helps to eradicate dandruff.
For Restoring Color and Beauty to Gray or Faded Hair.
50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

Captivating Mary Carstairs

By HENRY SYDNOR HARRISON

(Contnued from yesterday)

CHAPTER XV.

In Which Varney Does Not Pay a Visit, But Receives One.

Coligny Smith had told the truth. Peter Maginnis had bought the Gazette, and the Cyprian's troubles, from this source at any rate, were at an end.

Varney found the new proprietor at the hotel, completing a hurried supper, and Peter hailed him with astonishment and delight. All forenoon he had been bursting with his great news, eager to get word of it to Varney on the yacht. But there had been no trustworthy messenger to send; his own time had been filled to overflowing, with contracts, bills of sale and deeds; and, besides, his certain knowledge that everything was all right made it seem a minor matter that Varney should know it too.

"But what the deuce," he exclaimed at once, "brings you at this hour to the Palace Hotel and Restaurant?"

"I, too," quoted Varney, "have not been idle."

As they walked back to the Gazette building, where Peter had still various details to attend to, he gave a terse epitome of his afternoon's experiences. At the news that he, too, had sought to buy the paper which was so determinedly on their trial, Peter chuckled and started to speak, but when he learned in the next sentence that Hammerton had their secret at his mercy, his face grew suddenly grave.

"The rub is," he summed up meditatively, "he may take his walking-papers rather than let go of such a scoop as that. Of course, he knows that the New York papers would trample each other to death trying to snatch it away from him. However, we can fix it somehow. We've got to—that's all."

"He'll listen to reason, I dare say," said Varney briefly. "What put it into your head to try to buy the paper, Peter?"

They sat in the business manager's little office at the rear of the long counting-room downstairs, where Peter had thoughtfully paused and snapped on all the lights. At this question an annoyed look settled instantly on the new owner's open countenance.

"No brains of mine," he said shortly. "It's a queer thing."

He paused to light his battered pipe, which he produced ready-filled from his pocket, and then said abruptly:

"Remember that old sneak named Higginson I mentioned to you yesterday? Well, I bagged the idea from him. When I hit town this afternoon the first thing I heard was that Higginson was going to buy the Gazette—had bought it, some said."

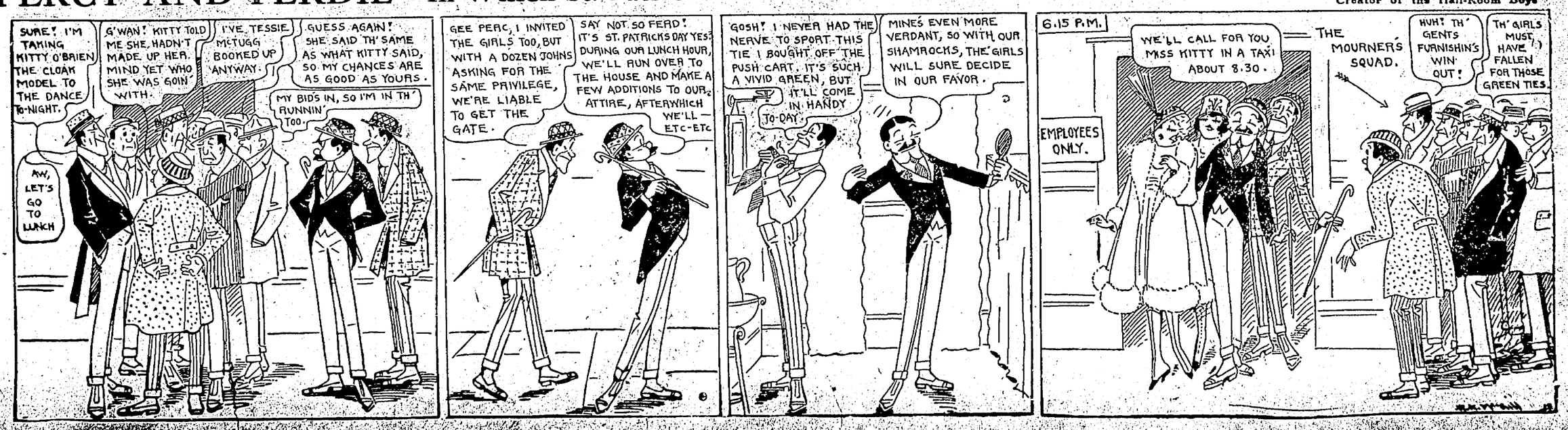
"Higginson!" Varney stared. "What the mischief did he want with the Gazette?"

"Echo answers. No good to us, you can bet," said Peter grimly. "Gave it out, I believe, that he was acting for a syndicate of New Yorkers who expected flush times with the change of administration, and were rushing to get in on the ground floor. You can believe that if you want to. To me it sounds too fishy to do even a beginner credit. You could wake me up in the middle of the night and I could put over a better one than that. However," he continued, frowning, "to get back to my story. When I heard what Higginson was up to, it naturally flashed into my mind that it would be a mighty convenient thing if I owned the Gazette myself, instead of him.

(Continued tomorrow.)

PERCY AND FERDIE---In Which St. Patrick Proves to Be Their Patron Saint - - By H. A. MacGILL

Creator of the Hall-Room Boys



"Chevrolet Parade" News of Tribune Prizes to Public

NATALIE ALT, the Orpheum headliner, who is going to bestow the Chevrolet car upon the lucky holder at the Orpheum Theater next Monday night.

Got Your "Shares" Yet? Don't Miss Them—You May Be Lucky

Anybody would have thought it was "circus" day today, to judge by the crowds that lined the curb on the main streets downtown while the Tribune-Chevrolet parade passed by. That was some parade. It was made up of ten big Chevrolet cars, sent in direct from the factory by General Manager Dumont of the Chevrolet plant. Bright banners on the cars conveyed to the watching crowds the glad tidings that those cars were all to be given away by The TRIBUNE at the Orpheum at the rate of one every Monday night.

At the head of the procession rode the members of the Chevrolet "Jazz" band, headed by Tony Valergo. Sweet strains of music floated out from the "Jazz" band and all the parade lacked was elephants and peanuts to give it a strictly circus flavor.

Leaving metaphors out and getting down to "business," there is not the slightest trace of doubt about the enormous enthusiasm with which people of the town have taken to The TRIBUNE's idea of making every man, woman and child in Oakland a "share"-holder in the big Chevrolet corporation.

That "fleet" of ten superb Chevrolet cars clinched the purpose in the minds of the few doubters who were left. Those cars looked like "business." They are "business." There are $10,000 worth of them in The TRIBUNE'S possession, and every one of them is to be given away under the auspices of The TRIBUNE at the Orpheum Theater.

THE NEW TRIBUNE PLAN.

Sometimes people have been given a chance, along with 200,000 other folks, to win an automobile once a year, but this combination of The TRIBUNE-Chevrolet with the Orpheum is vastly different. It means that you can sit in a beautiful theater, watch a superb show, all at your ease and in perfect comfort, and with one or a score of Tribune-Chevrolet "shares" in your pocket, awaiting for the ceremony of the distributing of the automobiles, of which you may own one.

There is some class to that.

The first of the Chevrolet machines is to be given away next Monday evening at the Orpheum.

The machine is now displayed in the lobby of the Orpheum Theater, where admiring thousands surround it every day.

Step in and look it over.

GET A TRIBUNE COUPON.

All you need to do to be a possible owner of that machine is to take The TRIBUNE coupon, cut from this issue of The TRIBUNE, step over with it to the Orpheum box office, exchange it absolutely free for an officiol numbered Chevrolet "share." One only condition attached to the contest is that you must be in the Orpheum with your "share" when the drawing is made next Monday night.

We want to make it perfectly plain so there can be no mistake about this point. Unless you are there when the winning number is drawn, and unless you stand and announce that you hold it and show it, to The TRIBUNE'S committee in charge of the affair, another drawing will be made at once, and the drawing of numbered "shares" will be continued until some person arises in the audience and says "I own that numbered 'share!'"

If you have not reserved your seat for next Monday night, when the big excitement occurs, telephone at once to the Orpheum and have them put aside your seats.

There is going to be a big crush. Get there early.

TWO MISHAPS TAKE PLACE ON ONE STREET CAR

TRIBUNE BUREAU
683 MARKET ST.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—An element of hoodoo followed the career of a McAllister street car on one of its downtown trips this morning. Rushing to make up time, with aisles crammed with passengers en route to work, the car first struck a hose wagon which was about to enter the fire house at McAllister and Webster streets. Three firemen were thrown off, one was severely injured and another slightly hurt.

After the wreckage of the vehicle has been removed from the tracks the car proceeded two blocks to Laguna street, where it was boarded by Mrs. Harriett Eaton of 757 Laguna street. She was thrown off and suffered a broken leg.

The firemen hurt were Frank Dungan, 3976 Folsom, fractured rib, concussion of the brain, lacerated scalp; Rudolph Hagen, 703 San Bruno, abrasions and contusions of the body.

St. Patrick's Social Planned at Concord

CONCORD, March 17.—The biggest St. Patrick's social affair scheduled for this section of the county in a long time is that which is to be held at the Concord Inn tonight. Manager Chambers of the Inn will give a dinner dance and many special favors will be offered. Prof. Rea' orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. Tables are being reserved in advance.

Mrs. George McKenzie entertained the Bridge Club during the week. Mrs. McKenzie proved herself an expert card player as well as a charming hostess and scored the greatest number of points. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. M. Q. Meehan, April 14.

"Bybilla Solves Secrets" is the name of the operetta to be presented by the high school students at the I. O. O. F. hall, April 20.

Citrus Packers Halt Work; Embargo Cause

MONROVIA, Cal., March 17.—Practically all of the citrus fruit packing houses in the Monrovia-Duarte district have been closed, it was state here because of the embargo on perishable goods announced by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad on account of the threatened trainmen's strike. About half of the orange and lemon crops have been moved and growers declare a delay of fifteen days in the movement of shipments will result in serious financial loss.

STOCKINGS ARE CAUSE OF MOVE FOR GOOD ROADS

SAN LUIS OBISPO, March 17.—For the first time since the pen of Bret Harte ceased to write, Cholame Flat, one of the last of California's primitive communities to shed the garb of yesterday, has come before the public eye.

Cholame Flat wants good roads, and wants them bad, also quick. At least so the residents of that community declare in a petition on file with the Board of Supervisors. The sudden desire of Cholame Flat to have good roads is closely linked with an episode involving a $10 pair of silk hosiery.

The hosiery belonged to Mrs. Walter E. Van Norland of Boston. Mrs. Van Norland, while motoring, became stuck in the mud at Cholame Flat, about a quarter of a mile from the nearest stretch. With the members of her party she was compelled to walk this distance through mud. Her stockings, which she won as a prize at a bridge whist party and which she said were worth $10, were ruined. A motoring gown valued at $75, worn by Mrs. Van Norland, was also damaged.

Founder of Studebaker Manufactory Succumbs

SOUTH BEND, Ind., March 17.—John Moehler Studebaker, 84 years old, honorary president and last of the five founders of the Studebaker Corporation, died here last night after an illness of two months.

Studebaker, until his last illness, was the guiding spirit of the vehicle manufacturing concern that bears his name. He constructed his first wagon before he was twenty.

Studebaker was born near Gettysburg, Pa., October 10, 1833, the son of a blacksmith. He was one of thirteen children. In his youth he moved with the family to Ashland county, Ohio, and later to South Bend, Ind., which city later became the seat of the Studebaker corporation.

As part pay for the privilege of accompanying an expedition across the plains to California in 1853, Studebaker gave the first wagon he ever made.

Studebaker, in his five years' stay in California was able to save $3000. He returned to South Bend in 1858, purchased the interest of one of the brothers in a wagon shop and founded the firm of C. & J. M. Studebaker. As the years went on Studebaker extended greatly the scope of his business in automobile-building and also became interested in banking.

SEES CIVIL WAR, RESULT OF STRIKE

BY PACIFIC NEWS SERVICE
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

MARYSVILLE, March 17.—Food riots all over the country, women standing in bread lines, with starving babies at their shrunken breasts, and, finally, a repetition in America of the bloody Rrench revolution.

This was a picture of the after effects of the nation-wide railway strike, to be called today, that was held up before the 300 women of the convention of the California Federation of Women's Clubs at its closing session by Mrs. Frederick Colburn, regent for the San Francisco chapter of the woman's section of the Navy League.

Mrs. Colburn flayed the women who have shouted for peace at any price and scoffed at the patriotism of those who have protested that they did not raise their boys to be soldiers.

She called on the women of California to awaken to a realization of the seriousness of the present crisis and to take steps to protect their homes and children by doing their share in the work of preparedness.

"A railroad strike at the present time," she said, "will paralyze the defense arm of the nation. Food riots will follow all over the country and I predict they will lead to a repitition of the French revolution in America."

The federation, with cheers, pledged every club woman in its area to go without potatoes and onions until the cost of these ordinary foods returns to normal level.

The delegates agreed further to boycott other foods as rapidly as prices went up, and each clubwoman in the Federation will fight the high cost of living by planting potatoes and other vegetables.

The bill pending in the legislature giving counties and cities the option of licensing houses of prostitution was londemned by the convention at a result of a plea for action telegraphed here by the Rev. Paul Smith.

Mrs. G. E. Chappell of Grass Valley was elected president of the Federation for the coming year.

ORCHARDISTS JOIN APRICOT GROWERS

HAYWARD, March 17. — Orchardists of the country around here attended a meeting of the State Prune and Apricot Growers' association held here last night for the purpose of securing new members for the organization. It is planned to secure within a few weeks the necessary seventy-fice percent acreage of prune and apricot orchards throughout the State under the association's membership. This acreage is necessary before organization can be completed.

M. J. Madison of this city, who was appointed a member of the board of trustees of the association this week, was chairman of the meeting. The speakers included H. G. Coykendall, general manager of San Jose, Luther Brown, a prominent member of the association, and Joseph H. Bone, secretary.

As a result of a call for new members, a number of local orchardists joined the association.

Luis Terrazas Drops Dead in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, March 17.—Luis Terrazas Jr., member of a family said at one time to have been one of the richest in Mexico, dropped dead in a store near his home here, where he had resided since his escape from the Chihuahua city penitentiary and flight to the United States through El Paso, Tex. He was 56 years old. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

Cleveland Birthday Will Be Celebrated

CALDWELL, N. J., March 17. — The Grover Cleveland Memorial Association, which owns the Presbyterian manse here, where Mr. Cleveland was born, will celebrate the eightieth birthday of the dead President tomorrow with patriotic exercises in the old First Presbyterian Church, of which Cleveland's father was at one time pastor. Many prominent men and women will participate.

Oakland Tribune

TRIBUNE-CHEVROLET PROFIT-SHARING COUPON

to be exchanged at the Orpheum box office for a numbered official share in The TRIBUNE'S beautiful $625 Chevrolet car, to be given away to the fortunate shareholder Monday evening, March 19th, on the stage of the Orpheum Theater.

Exchange it at the Orpheum quickly—today. There is but one condition. Your numbered share must be in the Orpheum on Monday night, either carried there by you, or your representative, when the winning share number is announced.

ALSO NOTE THIS:

Besides entitling you to a Chevrolet car share free this coupon will be accepted at the Orpheum box office, through an arrangement made by The TRIBUNE, as 10 cents in cash, applying on any orchestra seat for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday evenings. That's why it is called

A TEN-CENT CAR FARE COUPON

It pays your way to and from the Orpheum, and it is just as good as gold when presented at the Orpheum box office. Use it this week, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday nights, and be given, besides, an official numbered Tribune-Chevrolet Share.

Cocoanut Oil Brought Here on Dutch Ship

Vast quantities of cocoanut oil are being discharged today into the tanks provided for that purpose on the Western Pacific wharf. The cargo was brought to Oakland in the Dutch steamship Tjisondart, and is one of many that will come here instead of the nut that formerly was shipped to this country and then the oil extracted. The oil will be taken from Oakland to eastern points in tank cars.

The Tjisondart is one of the biggest vessels to come into Oakland harbor. She is of 5019 tonnage. She will take on a cargo and will depart for Hongkong and Manila about March 23.

Big Civilian Army to Receive Training

LAS VEGAS, N. M., March 17. — A large civilian army probably will receive military training here at the United States Military Training Camp, the date for which has just been announced as from July 21 to August 20. This will be one of the five camps in the Southern Department of the United States Army. Others will be located at Austin, Tex., May 4 to June 4; Dallas, Tex., June 16 to July 15, and Alexandria, La., September 8 to October 7.

Under the rules, these camps may be attended by any male citizen of the United States between the ages of 18 and 45, or by any person within that age limit who has declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States. The equipment is supplied by the government, the only requirement being that the aplicant must pay the cost, plus 10 per cent, which is refunded in three equal amounts at three successive training camp periods. Transportation also is supplied by the government.

KREHB[illegible] STYLES REV[illegible] TRIUMPH

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, March 17.—Loturing in[illegible]lly here, Edward B. Krehbiel, prof[illegible] of modern European history, said [illegible] that a much more vigorous prosec[illegible] of the war against Germany may be[illegible]ected as a result of the uprising of the [illegible]uma and the abdication of the Czar. [illegible] says it is an uprising of the anti-[illegible]man party against the pro-German [illegible]ers who have been kept in control by the Czar.

"The revolution [illegible] a triumph for democracy," he said. "We may expect the establishment [illegible] a constitutional monarchy in Russia [illegible]uch as already exists in the liberal [illegible]ntries of Europe. It is simply the Frenc[illegible] revolution being repeated before our[illegible]s in a rather backward country. Sa[illegible]ng at it in a broad light, the refe[illegible] is a part of the great movement [illegible] voice in government which [illegible] on by the capitalist groups in all [illegible] European countries about 1[illegible] this [illegible]

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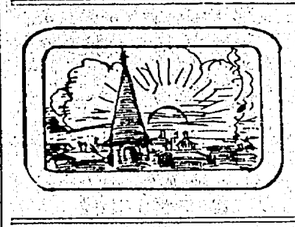

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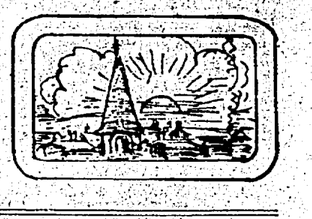

METHODIST

First Methodist Episcopal Church

24TH ST. AND BROADWAY.
REV. JOHN STEPHENS, D.D., Pastor.
TOPICS FOR MARCH 18, 1917.
MORNING SERVICE, 11 A. M.
"A Royal Priesthood"
EVENING SERVICE, 7:30 P. M.
"The Far Country, Or the Souls' Famine Land"
This is the second of a series of four sermons on "The Prodigal Son," which has been called "The Pearl of Parables."
The topics following this one will be: MARCH 25—"HE CAME TO HIMSELF." APRIL 1—"THE SOUL'S HOME COMING."
The song-service each evening, with special music by our great choir, will help to make these services of peculiar interest and uplift.
SUNDAY-SCHOOL AT 9:30 A. M., F. M. KORNHAUS, SUPERINTENDENT.
EPWORTH LEAGUE, 6:15 P. M.
MIZPAH EPWORTH LEAGUE, 6:15 P. M.
MID-WEEK PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE, 7:45 P. M.
YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO COME AND WORSHIP WITH US.

EIGHTH AVE. CHURCH
8TH AVE. AND E. 17TH ST.
JAMES WHITAKER, Pastor.
11:00 A. M.—
Dr. E. P. Dennett Will Preach
7:30 p. m.
"The Mystery of Births"
Fine Chorus Choir. Excellent Music.

ST. STEPHEN'S, 4th ave.; T. A. Story, pastor—Sunday-school, 9:45; worship, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

SCANDINAVIAN M. E.

SWEDISH Church, Market, at 13th; Rev. J. H. Lovedahl, pastor—Bible school, 10:45; sermon, 7:45 p. m.; Young People's meet. before service.

NORWEGIAN-DANISH METHODIST CHURCH, 608 20th st.—Services in our own language every Sunday, 11 a. m., 8 p. m.; Young People's meeting 7 p. m.

BAPTIST

First Baptist

THE CENTRAL CHURCH
TELEGRAPH AVE. AND 21ST ST.
WM. K. TOWNER, Minister.
11 A. M.
"The Life of Divine Love"
7:30 P. M.
"John Knox, the Giant Covenanter"

Tenth Ave. Baptist Church

Cor. 10th ave. and E. 14th st.
PREACHER, REV. JAS. DUNLOP.
11 A. M.
"Christ's Claim Upon Young Life"
7:30 P. M.
Rev. G. H. Howe will preach.
"The Welsh Revival"

23d Ave. Church

at E. 17th.
J. N. GARST, pastor.
Morning:
"SEEING VISIONS"
7:45 p. m.:
"BAPTISM OF YOUNG MEN."

SPIRITUAL TRUTH

SPIRITUAL TRUTH CHURCH, 529 12th st.—Sunday, 11 a. m., sermon, "Mind"; messages, Mrs. McMillen, Mon., Wed., 8 p. m., 3783 Fled. ave.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST, LATTER DAY SAINTS, meets at Porter Hall, 1018 Grove st.—Sunday-school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11:30; evening service, leader and pastor.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN (Dunker)—Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., at 1546 38th ave. J. U. G. Stieverson, minister, 1548

CONGREGATIONAL

The Down Town Church

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. F. J. Van Horn, D.D., Pastor.
Rev. A. S. Donat, Director of Activities.
11 A. M.
"Miracles, Ancient and Modern"
7:30 P. M.
"The Redemption of Business"
S. S. at 9:45; C. E. at 6:30. Kindergarten during mornhig service. Easy walking distance of all hotels. Free sittings reserved for their guests.
"THE STRANGERS' SABBATH HOME"
Twelfth, Thirteenth and Clay streets. One block from City Hall.

Plymouth Church

(Congregational)
ALBERT W. PALMER, Minister.
Take Piedmont ave. car to the door, or College ave. car to Moss avenue, and walk one block east and north.
11 A. M.
"How to Judge Men"
7:45 p. m.:
"The Evolution of Heaven and Hell",
(Third in a series on "The Passing and the Permanent in Religion.")
Musical program from Bach and Handel illustrating the history of church music. Chorus choir directed by Alexander Stewart.

Calvary Church

36TH AND GROVE.
Sermon by Roy H. Campbell, Minister.
"My Creed," No. 7
"The House of Power"

EPISCOPAL

St. Paul's Church

Cor. Grand ave. and Montecito.
Take Grand ave. car.
The Rev. Alexander Allen, Rector.
8:00 a. m.—HOLY COMMUNION.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday-school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. (45-minute service). Seats free.
Vesper service at 4:30 p. m., with address to the Confirmation Class.

St. John's Church

Eighth and Grove Streets.
REV. IRVING SPENCER, RECTOR.
Sunday Services:
7:45 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m.—Church School.
10:10 a. m.—Choral Eucharist with ceremony.
11:00 a. m.—Holy Eucharist, "TOIL AND REFRESHMENT."
7:45 p. m.—Evensong and sermon: THE BISHOP OF CALIFORNIA will confirm and preach.
STEREOPTICON AFTER THE SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE, SUBJECT, "AN UNKNOWN CITY." The story of Basao, an unvisited city of the Headhunters, with 80 colored slides and talk by worker in charge.
LENTEN SERVICES DAILY (in chapel), 7:30 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Stations of the Cross
Friday, 8 p. m., vespers and address.

Trinity Church

TELEGRAPH, AT 29TH ST.
REV. CLIFTON MACON, RECTOR.
Services at 7:30, 10, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
Walter Handel Thorley, organist and choirmaster. All welcome.

Good Samaritan

N.E. cor. 9th and Oak sts.
Sunday-school, 10 a. m., Mr. C. P. Griswold, supt.; prayers and sermon, 11 a. m. Rev. A. L. Mitchell, vicar.

THEOSOPHICAL

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, Maple Hall—Sunday, March 18, at 7:45 p. m., lecture by Mr. W. J. Woods, subject "The Chosen People and the Lost Tribes" All welcome.

BETHANY HALL BETHANY HALL

A Series of Prophetic Lectures

Illustrated by Two Large Colored Charts, Are Being Given By

MR. W. J. McCLURE

in the

Bethany Hall Twenty-third Avenue

BETWEEN NINETEENTH AND TWENTIETH STREETS,
Every night (except Saturday) at 7:45. Sunday at 3:30 and 7.45.
Subject Sunday,
"The Thousand Years of Christ's Reign Over This Earth"
Points which will be dealt with: The physical changes in teh land of Palestine, by which Jerusalem will become a seaport, and the Syrian Desert reclaimed; the dumb animals in the millennium; the conditions that will obtain among the nations in that age; the awakening and regathering of the long lost ten tribes, and their settlement in Palestine, etc. All are cordially invited to hear these subjects.

UNIVERSALIST UNIVERALIST

A RELIGION FOR THE LIVING MAN
The Church of the Universal Christ
THE TRUE THOUGHT CENTER.
HOTEL OAKLAND, ROSE ROOM
ALICE ST. ENTRANCE.
BERNARD C. RUGGLES, MINISTER.
SUNDAY, 11 A. M.
"TRADITION VS. TRUTH"
THE SOUL'S SONG OF EMANCIPATION.
WEDNESDAY, 3 P. M., DR HAROLD PALMER, LONG BEACH, LECTURES IN ROOM 8.

PRESBYTERIAN

First Presbyterian Church

BROADWAY AND 26TH ST.,
Sunday, March 18, 1917.
Rev. W. H. Oxtoby, D.D., will preach morning and evening.
11 a. m.—Topic:
"The Greatest of the Prophets"
7:30 p. m.—Topic:
"Light on the Bible from Excavations in the Orient"
Miss Claire McClure at the organ.

Brooklyn Church

(PRESBYTERIAN)
12th ave. and E. 15th st.
TOMORROW
Brooklyn's Big Day
11:00 A. M.:
"The Church of Tomorrow"
Dr. William P. Shriver of New York, Church Efficiency Expert, will speak.
2:00-5:00 P. M.
"Every Member Canvass"
FOR EACH $500 PLEDGED BROOKLYN'S HISTORIC BELL WILL RING.
7:30 P. M.:
PRAISE SERVICE
Short Talks—Report of canvass; special music by vested choir.
Kindergarten and nursery for children during morning service.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN

First United Presbyterian
18TH AND CASTRO STS.
JAS. F. ROSS, D.D., PASTOR.
THE PASTOR WILL PREACH AT 11 A. M. AND 7:30 P. M.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF L. D. S.

AT 16th-Magnolia sts.—Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday-school 9:45 a. m.; Religio, 6:30 p. m.; all kindly invited; H. J. Davison, pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

CHURCHES OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—First Church, 17th and Franklin sts.; Second Church, 34th and Elm sts., one block east of Telegraph ave.; Third Church, Masonic Temple, E. 14th st. and 34th ave.; Fourth Church, Masonic Temple, E. 14th st. and 8th ave.; Fifth Church, I. O. O. F. Hall, E. 14th st. and 92d ave.; Sixth Church, 250 41st st., two blocks east of Broadway; Seventh Church, Harrison boulevard, bet. 23rd and 24th streets. Subject tomorrow: "Substance."
Sunday services at 11 a. m.; Sunday-schools at 9:30 a. m.; Wednesday testimonial meetings at 8 p. m.; Sunday evening services at First, Second and Seventh churches at 8 o'clock.
Reading rooms open daily, excepting Sundays and holidays, Perry Bldg., 414 13th st., from 9:30 a. m. to 9 p. m., excepting Wednesday, when they close at 7 p. m.; open Sundays from 1 to 5 p. m.; First Church edifice, 12 to 4 p. m., excepting holidays; Sixth Church edifice, 2 to 4:30 p. m.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN

First Lutheran

16TH AND GROVE STS.
Four blocks from City Hall.
Rev. G. H. Hillerman, D.D., pastor.
SERVICES MORNING AND EVENING.
Practical Gospel sermons. All welcome.

ST. MICHAEL'S, Alcatraz, at Benvenue ave.; H. M. Leech—Bible school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11, sermon by the pastor; vesper service, 7:45; L.L., 7 p. m.

UNITARIAN

Hail! Republic of Russia

Introductory address at First Unitarian Church, corner Fourteenth and Castro streets. Followed by sermon on "What the World Owes to the Despised Races." Service at 11 a. m., William Day Simonds, minister. Evening at 7:45, Third National Night, subject, "Dear Old Ireland." Addresses by Philip M. Carey and Mr. Simonds; fine musical program under direction of Mrs. J. M. Macgregor. Everybody invited.

FIRST DIVINE SCIENCE.

FIRST DIVINE SCIENCE CHURCH holds services at Starr King Hall, Sundays, 11 a. m.

FRIENDS

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.
Friends' meeting, Starr King Hall, 14th st., between Grove and Castro, Oakland, every First day (Sunday), 11 a. m. 38th ave.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

TOMORROW
GO TO
St. Mary's
CATHOLIC CHURCH
8th st., at Jefferson.
Services, 6:30, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12. Evening services 7:45 o'clock.
ALL WELCOME.

ST. LEO'S Catholic Church, Piedmont ave. and Ridgeway—Services 7, 9, 10:30, 12; evening service, 7:45 o'clock.

ASSOCIATED BIBLE STUDENTS

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(I. O. O. F. HALL)
11th and Franklin sts.
Bible Classes, 3 and 4:45 p. m.
The public is invited to attend a lecture at 7:45 p. m. by W. L. Dimock on:
"Thieves in Paradise"
WHAT AND WHERE IS PARADISE? Did the thief really go there? "Come let us reason together." Bring your friends.
SEATS FREE NO COLLECTION.

CHRISTIAN YOGA

First Church of the Universal Messianic Message

THE SIXTH CYCLE DISPENSATION.
562 15TH STREET.
Sunday, 8 p. m., subject: "Meaning of Religion"; Tues., 2:30-4:30, informal "at home"; lecture Wed., 8 p. m.; meditation every a. m., 10-10:30, Sat. and Sun. excepted. Hrs. for healing, 10 a.m. to 1 p. m.

INTER-DENOMINATIONAL

Piedmont Church

OPP. PIEDMONT CITY HALL.
MOWBRAY HALL,
VISTA AVE., NEAR HIGHLAND AVE.
CHURCH SERVICE, 11 A. M.
SERMON BY
CHAS. D. MILLIKEN, PASTOR.
11 A. M.
"The Effect of Prayer on One Who Pravs"

PSYCHO SCIENCE

FIRST CHURCH OF PSYCHO SCIENCE
Corinthian Hall, Pacific Bldg., 16th and Jefferson, Sunday 7:45 p. m.
Speaker, H. Robert Sinclear, "Mohammed and Islam"; vocal and instrumental music, J. V. Engquist, director; conference meeting with messages, Wednesday, 2:30 p. m. Come and help us to help humanity.

GOSPEL AUDITORIUM

GOSPEL AUDITORIUM,
42nd and Rich, near Telegraph.
SUNDAY AT 7:45 P. M.
Evangelist J. W. H. Nichols
Will Preach.
ALL WELCOME.

SPIRITUAL

Rock Ridge Hall

College ave., near Lawton st.
SUNDAY, MARCH 18, 7:30 P. M.
Lecture by C. W. Shaw of Berkeley.
"The Living Dead"
Messages will also be given.
You are cordially invited. Seats free.

FRUITVALE SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, Fruitvale ave. and E. 12th st.—Sun., 2:30 p. m.; Mrs. Nanning, Mrs. Loewen, Mr. Glasford; Sunday school, 1 p. m.; circle Friday eve., Mch. 16, at 1205 Fruitvale ave.

FIRST TEMPLE OF SPIRITUALISM—Lincoln Hall, 411 13th st. 7:45 p. m., lecture, O. F. Ryerson, "Spiritual Gifts"; messages by Lora E. Wells and others; 6:30, healing class by Dr. De Bruyne; all invited.

FIRST SPIRITUAL CHURCH—Athens ave., west of 25th st. Pastor, Lucinda Parsons. Sunday 8 p. m.; address by pastor; message by Dr. R. A. Stitt, Mrs. Burnside and pastor; Wednesday 8 p. m., message meeting; everybody welcome. Take San Pablo ave. car.

UNITY SPIRITUAL CHURCH meets in Phillips Hall, 2308 E. 14th st., every Sunday 2:15 p. m. H. Froschusir, Lena Sowles and others. Public Invited.

SPIRITUAL AID AND MISSION, 2407 San Pablo ave.—Meeting Sunday eve., 8 o'clock; lecture by Mr. Hyam; messages by H. Froschusir, Mrs. Hyam and others.

TRINITY SPIRITUAL CHURCH, 529 12th st. Sunday evening services 7:45 p. m.; short address; music; messages, F. K. Brown, Mrs. G. H. Hyams of Los Angeles, Mrs. Sowles. All are welcome; bring questions.

FAN FODDER

TO JACK DEMPSEY.

You ought to be a wonder boy with
packing such a name,
For the guy who went before you was
the jewel of the game.

RIGHT IN LINE WITH THE SPIRIT OF THE DAY IN THESE UNITED STATES, OUR YOUNG PATRIOTS INSIST ON BEING ARMED

NEWS AND VIEWS OF SPORTDOM

TO SOUTHPAW BILL.

We're glad to see you head for camp
to join the bunch that's here,
But you'll have to get a wiggle on to
hold your job this year.

CUBS LEAVE 29 MEN ON BASE IN 27 INNINGS; MITCH. MAD

Chicago Visitors Weakest on Offense of Major League Club Ever Seen Here

INSIDE STUFF BY BILLY FITZ

AS CANDIDATES for eighth place in the National League, Fred Mitchell's Chicago Cubs continue to show winning form. They lost their second game in three days yesterday, thereby proving that they are right in midseason stride, and they did it with the careless abandon that spoke of long experience. Charley Weeghman can rest assured that his club will start the season in perfect condition for their summer siesta one floor above the Cincinnati Reds.

Of course, it isn't gentlemanly to point out the shortcomings of one's guests—but watching the Cubs in action is calculated to make a polite scribe forget his manners, and we can't help chronicling the fact that Mitchell's gang of ball tossers don't seem to know the location of the home plate. "Mitch" ought to supply them with guides when they get on the bases, for the boys appear bewildered. Maybe they're not accustomed to getting as far as first, or perhaps the home plate is located in a different direction back in Chicago.

The idea of a major league club going up against the Seals, registering five hits, one of them a triple, grabbing a sacrifice fly, being handed six bases on balls, and then collecting the grand total of two runs, ought to create quite an impression back in Chicago. Add to this the knowledge that the Cubs had to call on Jim Vaughn, Prendergast and Demaree to keep from getting licked worse than they did, and the wonder grows that Fred Mitchell was ever courageous enough to take his present job.

In the last twenty-seven innings, the Cubs have left exactly twenty-nine men stranded on the sacks—eleven yesterday, the same number the day before and seven in their first appearance against the Oaks. They have scored eight runs in three games, or two and two-thirds runs per game—and in two of these contests they faced pitchers who weren't at all certain of making the Coast League. The suspicion grows that the Coast League directors booted the ball when they admitted the first squad and barred the Cub Yannigans. The only thing that smacks of major league class about the outfit is the number of traveling correspondents. Mitchell is commencing to get mad.

Only One Hit Among Four Newcomers; Smart Ball Would Have Shut Seals Out

aSn Francisco didn't fall for the Cubs any stronger than Oakland did, Ewing Field displaying considerable area of emptiness in addition to that found in the heads of the athletes. The Seals, making their first appearance on the home grounds this season, looked none too strong. Smart ball playing would have suppressed them without a run, despite the fact that Jerry Downs lashed out three lusty doubles and Rube Ellis came through with a triple. Of the four newcomers to the league, Maisel managed to get one single and that was all. Young Hollywood fanned three times and Maisel twice. Third Baseman Pick and Catcher Del Baker did not get the ball out of the infield. The team appeared to live up to training camp critics who called it "slow."

Here's a Queer Play: Question Is: Did Deal Pull Boner or Did He Think Seals Would

Chicago's method of presenting the game to the Seals was pretty slovenly but featured by one unusual play. Big Jim Vaughn stood the Seals on their heads for five innings and retired at the end of the fifth with a record of eight strikeouts. He was succeeded by Jim Prendergast, who was greeted at once by Maisel with a single to left and Downs with a double to right. Wolter returned the ball to the infield in good time, but Steve Yerkes scrambled it around for a while and then elected to toss the ball underhanded to Elliott, with the result that Maisel slid over the plate a yard ahead. Maybe Steve didn't want to take any chances in hurting his arm, but the play didn't make him look any too good. Koerner walked and then Hollywood hit to the pitcher who, with plenty of time, threw low to third and the islands were left fully tenanted.

The puzzle play came at this moment and reads like a TRIBUNE problem. With the bags full and one out, Baker popped feebly to third. Deal tried to pull the same foxy play that Leslie Mann got away with Wednesday against the Oaks. He drew back on the ball, trying to scoop it, with the evident intention of then touching his bag and throwing to second. Deal overlooked two things—one was the infield fly rule and the other was the ball itself, which got away from him. Phil Koerner dashed for the plate and Deal recovered the ball in time to peg low to Rowdy who had the pill knocked out of his mitts by the sliding Seal. Finney ruled the batter out, but the question is—did Deal realize it was an infield fly?

If he did, what was his object in trying to trap the ball for the runners were all entitled to hold their bases, and could not have been forced out. Maybe Deal figured that the Seals wouldn't think of the rule and might leave their sacks. In the general excitement the scorer never charged Deal with an error, though he should have got one as well as a putout, the latter for the fly he didn't catch, and the error for letting a man score from third by his fumble.

Young Hollywood a Fine Prospect, But Hardly Ripe for Coast League Company

Considerable has been written about young Hollywood, the little infielder who is being tried out by the Seals and who is filling in at short while Roy Corhan nurses a sore arm. Hollywood's father and mother were in the crowd yesterday, praying for the boy to do well, and the interest of many fans was centered in his work.

As a fielder, the youngster shows great promise. He was quite apparently nervous in the first two innings, and dropped a thrown ball when he had a man nailed stealing, and misjudged a line drive, but after he got warmed up to his job, he executed some pretty plays and showed a great arm. At the bat he appeared woefully weak, but he was up against better pitching than he will ever see in this league. Hollywood should do in another year, but Wolverton will hardly be able to use him this season.

"Spider" Baum, cool as ever, walked six men in as many innings, but after the first bi gflurry the visitors were baffled by his slow ball and spitter, and got only one questionable hit to short. Chicago scored its two runs on Mann's single, Wolter's triple and Williams' sacrifice fly. After these three men had been disposed of, the gang laid off work for the day.

Rube Ellis, appearing in Schaller's place, looked pretty good. He kissed one for three sacks in the first round and was left on the bag when Maisel allowed Vaughn to hook over a third strike on him without even offering at it.

George Maisel, the new utility man for the Seals, misjudged almost every fly ball that came his way. He permitted Wolter to bounce a triple over his head in the first round and had to make spectacular catches of Rowdy Elliott's three long clouts to him, though the flies were easy had they been played right.

Seal fans waatched the work of Del Baker keenly. This is the young catcher sent out by Detroit with high recommendations. He unsheathed a nice wing and handled himself well behind the log. At bat, he looked none too confident, and he got trapped flat-footed off second by Rowdy Elliott who contrived to get six assists during the afternoon.

The climate of Sacramento hasn't put much pep in the Seals. They were inclined to loaf, and even Boss Wolverton himself only clambered out of the dugout when the contest was being sewn up in the sixth. The rest of the time he was as mum and funereal looking as the cross on Lone Mountain.

Angels Are Given Choice of Outfielders Smith and Jacobson Now With the Cubs

Today Frank Chance and Johnny Powers, a self-constituted committee from Los Angeles, will be with us to talk things over with Weeghman and Mitchell. Sheckard got in with his second squad last night after playing Santa Clara university, and the rumor has it that Chance and Powers have been told to take their pick of two outfielders—Jacobson and Smith. The former has been showing particularly well in the spring games thus far and may be the one selected by Chance.

Kilhullen Catches His First Game for Oaks and Proves Value as a First-Class Receiver

All doubt as to the value of Pat Kilhullen to the Oakland club was removed yesterday at University of California when the Oaks' mysterious maskman went behind the plate and displayed real major league form. His arm was good, he had a lot of pep, and he certainly showed that the Oaks have secured an able first string receiver. Newkirk pitched stellar ball throughout and showed himself fast on his feet. Sheehan ended the game by spearing a line drive almost back of third. Murphy and Miller again starred with the bludgeon.

Harry Wolverton has signed Indian Smith, a right-handed hurler tried out by McCredie for three weeks last sumemr. The redskin worked out with the Seals yesterday and took the train to Sacramento today to get into condition at the camp. Wolverton appears badly off for twirlers. He had high hopes of getting "Dutch" Reuther from the Cubs but McCredie is said to have first claim on the young southpaw if he is turned back, as now seems likely.

The Oaks will play a double-header here tomorrow, meeting the Cubs in the morning and the Olympic Club in the afternoon. Today they play Zamloch's team again.

Ross Has Hard Time Explaining

To finish in four swimming races, and breaking either a world's record or a Pacific Coast record in each instance, but failing to win a single event, is the unique experience of Norman Ross, star swimmer of Stanford University and the Olympic Club of San Francisco.

Ross competed in the recent mid-Pacific meet held in Honolulu and was opposed by a field in which world's champions such as Ludy Langer, Perry McGillivray and other noted swimmers were his rivals. Four records were shattered and in each instance Ross was only a few inches behind.

Since his return from the islands Ross' friends have been asking what the trouble was with him, as he did not win a single event.

"It doesn't do any good to tell them that I swam better than I ever did before," said Ross. "The fact that I did not win overshadows the fact that I finished second each time in better than the original world's mark."

Danny Carroll Will Be Card Spring Coach

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Mar. 17.—Danny Carroll, veteran Australian rugby player and former star on the Stanford varsity, has been secured by Captain O. G. Lachmund to coach spring rugby practice here. Most of the preparation to be done by Stanford before the big game with Santa Clara next fall will have to be done this spring since the opening of college will be delayed next fall until the middle of October on account of the installation of the four quarter system.

Arrangements have been made for spring practice games with a team of Palo Alto enthusiasts, and requests have been received by Graduate Manager Behrens for games with Oakland and Lowell high schools.

Stanford Boxers Meet U. C. Rivals March 26

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Mar. 17.—Strict training rules have been given the Stanford boxers who will meet California on March 26, to decide the intercollegiate championship of the state. The men selected are: Britt, Marston, Flint, Wass, Sullivan, Stewart, Wheatley and Pedley.

The bouts to be staged a week from Monday at California will be in roped ring and as the Stanford men have never before fought within ropes they will be at a decided disadvantage. However Coach Maloney thinks that the men are showing such class that they will carry off championships in several of the classes in spite of the disadvantage.

N. Y. Commissioner of Boxing Removed

ALBANY, N. Y., March 17. — Late yesterday Governor Whitman removed from office Frederick A. Wenck, chairman of the State Athletic commission, on the ground that he was unfit for the position by reason of "his character and previous dealings with others."

The executive dismissed all of the other charges brought against the chairman by three New York boxing bout promoters, including one of attempted extortion.

Baseman Offered Manager's Place

SAN DIEGO, March 17. — Tom Terney, third baseman, who finished the 1916 season with the Salt Lake club in the Pacific Coast league, has received a telegram from E. J. Hanlon, owner of the Sioux City team, in the Western league, containing an offer to become manager. Downey has the offer under consideration. He is a free agent. Great Falls club of the Northwestern league and other teams have offered him positions.

Johnny Kilbane Not to Meet Murphy

SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 17. — Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion of the world, has refused to meet Young Murphy of Syracuse in a ten round bout because Murphy was nine pounds the heavier man. Murphy had agreed to make 133 pounds ringside, but weighed in at 9 p. m. at 137¾, Kilbane weighed 128½.

Police reserves were called when the crowd, disappointed, became unruly.

Santa Clara Wins From Chicago Nine

SANTA CLARA, Cal., March 17.—The Santa Clara university team defeated the Chicago National league team No. 2, here, 4 to 1.

Score.	R.	H.	E.
Santa Clara	4	8	2
Chicago	1	3	2

Batteries — Hickey, Pratt and Zobel, Dellhoefer; McTague and Benton.

QUESTION BOX

To the Sporting Editor:

In a ball game with one out, a man on second and one on third, the batter bunts a ball along the first base line. The first baseman gets the ball, tags the batter out, and then throws the ball to third base putting out the runner from second base. In the meantime however the man on third base has reached the home plate before the runner from second is put out, making the third out. Does the run count? Would this be termed a double play?

Ans.: Run counts. We score this a double play, but some rule books say when a run intervenes the plays are distinct.

Grand Football Attraction!
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OLGA STAR SHOWS HER CLASS FINALLY

Best Mare of Tijuana Meeting Uncovered When Eastern Crack Wins.

SAN DIEGO, March 17.—Olga Star finally ran her race. In consequence the best mare of the race meeting was uncovered. She won like a champion against a field of classy campaigners.

Olga Star is by Star Shoot out of Olga Nethersole. If her racing days were over, she would be worth considerable as a brood mare for Olga Star is one of the few Star Shoot mares that has proved successful as a runner. Olga uncorked a rattling mile and a sixteenth and came from ten lengths out of it to fairly breeze the last part.

Olga Star is one of the trio of eastern cracks that took more than one hundred days to finally round to her true form. Conning Tower and Miss Fannie were the others to win during the past week. Conning Tower finally won at a mile and a sixteenth, a route which was generally supposed the was opposed to cover. Miss Fannie, on the other hand, won her malden race of the meeting at six furlongs, when a mile or over was generally regarded as her favorite distance back in old Kentucky.

President James Wood Coffroth has declared that the present meeting will continue indefinitely. The game is better right now than it has been at any time during its original one hundred days and with Tijuana suffering in no respect by the advancing eastern meetings Coffroth sees no reason why the game should not continue. As a matter of fact, several of the big business houses of San Diego banded together in an appeal for a further extension.

Park Bowling Club Opens Play Tomorrow

The Lakeside Park Bowling club plans to open the season Sunday with a match between the president and vice-president. Seven new members have been admitted to membership. Vice-president Addison has given the club a beautiful silver cup to be played for each year as a single championship trophy. The players winning the cup for the third time will retain possession.

A smoker Wednesday evening was remarkable for the number of splendid songs rendered by Wm. Moer, Dick Brown, W. Smyth, F. Krohn, J. Tait, J. Rankin. Piano selections by G. Mackay and R. Hunter.

Racing Form Charts Are Put Under Ban

SACRAMENTO, March 17. — Publication by newspapers of betting odds, form charts or tips on horse racing is prohibited under the provisions of Luce's bill, which passed the Senate yesterday. The bill is aimed to curb the activities of race track gamblers in San Diego, who operate at the Tiajuana, Mexico, race course. Publication of horse racing results, however, is permissible.

JAP'S TURN NEXT TIME.

SAN JOSE, March 17. — Tarro Miyake, jiu jitsu expert who defeated Nick Daviscourt two weeks ago in a jiu jitsu match, was himself defeated in a return match, catch as catch can last night.

Challenges have been received by Daviscourt from Clark of Chicago and Romanoff, the Russian Lion, who meets Stecher soon for the world's championship.

SOCCER TOMORROW.

At Ocean Shore, San Francisco—Olympics vs. Shells, 2:30 p. m.; Argonauts vs. Celtics, 12:30 p. m.

At Eighth and Market street, San Francisco—Burns vs. Thistles.

At Croll's, Alameda—Union Iron Works vs. Rangers, 2:30 p. m.

SPALDING BOOKINGS

Diamonds about the bay cities will furnish plenty of action for baseball hungry fans tomorrow. The fallowing 23 games are booked by Spalding's to be played off today. So glance down the list and pick the game you care to witness.

Alameda vs. Alameda All Stars, at Lincoln park, 2:30.

B ertillions vs. Union St. Merchants, at Bushrod No. 1, 1:30.

Buttler's Young Oaks vs. Wayne Outlaws, at Bayview No. 2, 1:30.

Chevroletts vs. San Leandro Cubs, at Sixty-ninth avenue, 2:30.

Colts Jrs. vs. Vampires, at Botter playground, 2:00.

Canon Kip Club vs. St. Dominics, at Southside playground, 2:30.

Cortland Merchants vs. Jeffersons, at Holly park, 2:00.

Elmhurst Merchants Jrs. vs. Granite Bros., Elmhurst school, 98th avenue, 2:00.

Excelsiors vs. Granite Bros. Jrs. at Excelsior playground, 2:00.

McKinley Spiders vs. Bayview Merchants, at McKinley park, 10:30.

Maxwell Hardware Co. vs. Washington Seals, at Hawthorne, 1:30.

Ionics vs. Judeans, at Lincoln park, 10.30.

Hub Nutters vs. Union Iron Works, at Visitation Valley, 11:00.

Newman's Cafe vs. Avons, at Presidio, 2:00.

New-Ark Idle Wilds vs. North Beach Outlaws, at Newark, 1:30.

Rattlers vs. Frater Bros., at Bayview, 1:30.

Grovers vs. San Francisco C. A. C., at Balboa park, 2:00.

Santa Fe I. A. vs. S. N. Wood, at Bushrod No. 1, 11:30.

San Leandro Merchants vs. Mayrose Butters, at San Leandro, 2:30.

Sunset Federals vs. Wright & Ditson, at Golden Gate Park, 2:00.

Santa Cruz vs. San Jose, at Santa Cruz, 2:30.

St. Joseph's Sodality vs. aBnk of Italy, at St. Ignatius College, 10:30.

Twin Peaks Parlor, N. S. G. W. vs. Richmond Grays, at Golden Gate Park, 2:00.

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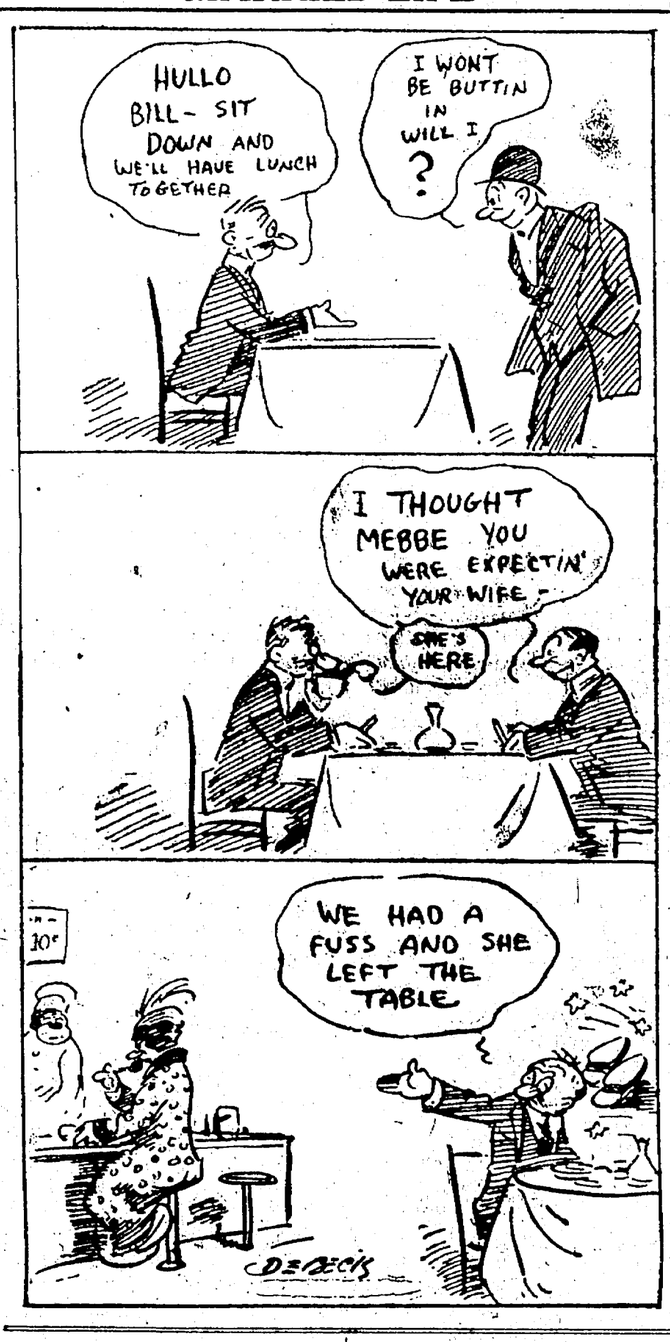

Twice in 3 Days

CHICAGO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Mann, lf	4	1	1	1	2	0	0
Wolter, rf	5	1	2	0	0	0	0
Williams, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yerkes, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1	1
Saier, 1b	3	0	1	0	7	0	0
Deal, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	1	1
Wolfe, s	3	0	0	0	5	1	0
Elliott, c	4	0	0	0	9	6	0
Vaughn, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Prendergast, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Demaree, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reuther	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	2	5	1	24	10	3

SAN FRANCISCO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Fitzgerald, rf	4	0	0	1	3	0	0
Ellis, lf	3	0	2	0	2	0	0
Pick, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	2	0
Maisel, cf	4	1	1	0	5	0	0
Downs, 2b	4	1	3	0	1	1	0
Koerner, 1b	3	1	0	0	9	0	0
Hollywood, s	4	0	0	0	0	6	0
Baker, c	2	0	0	0	5	1	0
Baum, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schaller	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Steen, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	3	7	1	27	12	0

Reuther batted for Prendergast in 5th.
Schaller batted for Baum in 6th.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Base hits	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	—5
S. Francisco	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	*	—3
Base hits	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	1	*	—7

No runs, 3 hits off Vaughn, 18 at bat in 5 innings; 2 runs, 4 hits off Baum, 22 at bat in 6 innings; 3 runs, 3 hits off Prendergast, 9 at bat in 2 innings. Three base hits—Wolter, Ellis. Two base hits—Downs 3. Sacrifice hits—Hollywood. First base on called balls—Off Baum 6, off Vaughn 3, off Prendergast 1, off Steen 2. Struck out—By Vaughn 8, by Baum 2, by Prendergast 1, by Demaree 1, by Steen 2. Sacrifice fly—Williams. Runs responsible for — Baum 2, Prendergast. Left on bases—Cubs 9, San Francisco 7. Credit victory to Baum. Charge defeat to Prendergast. Time of game—2h. Umpires—Finney and Casey.

SAN JOSE EXPECTS TO TRYOUT.

SAN JOSE, March 17.—A tryout of novice riders has been called by Captain Red Gillett of the Garden City wheelmen for the purpose of selecting a team to compete in a 30-mile inter-club relay race in San Francisco Sunday, April 29. Candidates for the Garden City team will ride a five mile course against time Sunday morning.

Newkirk the Candy

OAKLAND.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Chadbourne, lf.	2	2	1	3	1	0	0
Mensor, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	1	0
Lane, cf.	3	1	1	0	1	0	0
Miller, rf.	3	1	2	0	1	0	0
Murphy, 3b.	3	1	3	2	1	2	0
Sheehan, ss.	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Mensal, 1b.	2	0	0	0	13	1	0
Kilhullen, c.	4	0	0	0	7	3	0
Newkirk, p.	4	0	1	0	1	2	0
Totals	29	6	9	6	27	10	0

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Parrish, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Vecki, rf.	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Adair, cf.	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
C. Bohwer, ss.	4	0	1	0	3	3	0
Works, 1b.	3	0	0	0	10	3	1
Davidson, 2b.	3	0	0	0	3	4	0
Smith, 3b.	2	0	0	0	2	3	0
Gimbal, c.	2	0	0	0	4	1	0
Ball, p.	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
McCabe, p.	2	0	0	0	2	1	1
Totals	26	0	1	0	27	10	2

Vecki replaced Parrish in the fourth.
McCabe replaced Ball in the third.

Oakland	0	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	—6
Base hits	0	0	2	0	1	0	5	1	0	—9
U. of C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Base hits	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Runs responsible for—Ball 4, McCabe 2. Charge defeat to Ball. Two-base hits—Murphy 2, Newkirk 1. Sacrifice hit—Adair. First base on called balls—Off Newkirk 3, off Ball 6, off McCabe 2. Struck out—By Newkirk 7, by Ball 2, By McCabe 1. Hit by pitcher—Meusel by McCabe. Left on bases—Oakland 4, California 4. Time of game—2h. 10m. Umpire Shepardson.

Oaks to Play Cubs Tomorrow Morning

The Oaks, who have already attracted considerable attention by losing only exhibition game and that to the Chicago Cubs, will play their third game against Mitchell's first string tomorrow morning at 10:10.

Pop Arlett may get another chance to show what he can do, and if he travels as well as he did last Wednesday, may be allowed to go the full route.

DEMPSEY MOVES TO OAKLAND CAMP

Jack Dempsey, the Salt Lake heavyweight, who will tackle Al Norton next Wednesday, has moved his belongings to Oakland, and will perform for visitors tomorrow at the West Oakland Club. Dempsey has been working out at the Association Club in San Francisco, where his work has been ultra-sensational. The big Salt Laker is probably the fastest on his feet of any heavyweight seen here in several years, and local fans will welcome a chance to see Norton's much touted opponent in action.

Dempsey will receive the fans at his West Oakland quarters at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and promises to put his wares before the local crowd in several fast rounds of sparring. Norton is still across the bay, and is working out at Freddie Bogan's.

Frank Luscher, always a favorite with Oakland fans, will meet a tough customer in Young Herman. The latter put the kayo sign on Kid Lewis in a transbay bout this week and should give Luscher a hard bout. Eddie White, who surprised the fans against Johnny Shower at the last West Oakland show, will be given another chance to show his wares here when he tackles Pickles Martin. Sammy Felsinger and Joe Miller will take part in the third special event. This scrap will bring together a clever boy in Felsinger and a slam-bang two-handed mixer. Miller has made a great hit across the bay with his hard working style, and local fans will welcome a fellow who starts the first round at top speed.

Old timers will have their chance when Salinas Jack Bob Robinson and Dick Trounce get together. Both of these men have seen hard campaigns, but are still capable of mixing matters pretty hard for four rounds. Trounce hails from Nevada, where he has done some good work. The prelims are Young Turner vs. Kid Franks, and Bull Young vs. Jimmy McClellan.

ORTEGA WINS AS EASILY AS EVER

Battling Ortega had an easy time winning his second fight of the week by pummeling Valley Trambitas around the Dreamland ring last night. Trambitas had a slight shade in the first. But in the third round Ortega had him in a bad way when the gong saved him. In the fourth Trambitas was getting such a beating that the police were getting ready to take a hand and the timekeeper rang the gong when the round had gone but two minutes. Jimmy Dundee, the local feather, earned a decision over Johnny Conde. Frank Denny was beaten by Johnny Vierra. Other results were: Joe Coulin kayoed Eddie Huse; Joe Fallon took a decision from Lee Moore; Micky McMinn decision over Sailor Revett; Charley Lloyd stopped Eddie Langtry in the second and Kid Bromeo took decision from Al Prouse.

Antono Jirza, the big Bohemian grappler, who meets Joe Stecher at the Civic Auditorium, San Francisco, next Tuesday night, put in scoveral hours of mat work at the San Francisco Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon before a crowd of interested onlookers. Jirza, who weighs 238 pounds, figures that a couple of more days of training such as that of yesterday should put him in trim for Tuesday's struggle.

Track Stars Will Twinkle Indoors

NEW YORK, March 17.—Track stars from every section of the country arrived here today for competition tonight in the annual senior indoor championships of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States. The meet will be held in the armory of the Twenty-second regiment, New York National Guard.

For the first time in the history of the championships Cornell will be represented by a team of athletes. Exra Wenz and Alma Richards, the latter the all-around star from the Ithica college, will compete.

Sensational performances are expected to be recorded. Joie Ray, the distance running marvel, doubtless will take some more cracks at long established records, while the sprints are certain to develop some extraordinary performances.

SACRAMENTO BOXING RESULTS.

SACRAMENTO, March 17.—Results of last night's bouts here were as follows: Phil Salvadore beat Frankie Tucker; Johnny Shower beat Beans Souza; Charlie Moy beat Johnny Potter; Spud Murphy drew with Jack Clark; Tommy Hayes beat Billy Muhan; Sam Langford beat Togo Koriyama; Tony Freitas drew with Danny Edwards.

BOWLING

The Oakland Elks won two games out of three from the San Mateo Elks, in the Elk tourney, last night, on Herolds alleys. Simpson was high for the San Mateo team with 160 1-3 average. Irving was high for the Oakland team with 179 1-3 average. Scores:

SAN MATEO ELKS.

	1st Game.	2nd Game.	3rd Game.	Totals.
Simpson	180	133	168	481
Wismom, W.	124	129	145	398
McHurd	137	145	162	444
Wismom, D.	135	151	160	426
Morrison	170	160	148	478
	766	698	783	2247

OAKLAND ELKS.

Hidahl	192	160	209	561
Meyer	144	169	197	510
Schultz	119	201	170	541
Gilbert	119	161	155	435
Irving	147	193	198	538
	742	884	929	2555

HAVE YOU GOT YOUR ANSWER YET?

READ THESE QUESTIONS CAREFULLY

Would you like a season pass to all Coast League games this year? Well, read these problems carefully and send your answers to the Sporting Editor of The TRIBUNE before next Wednesday. Hundreds of replies have been received and nearly all of them are wrong. Maybe you can give us the best answer. Try today.

Problem 1.—In a game between San Francisco and Oakland, there are two out and three men on base. Billy Lane hits to the clubhouse, rounds every base legally and beats the ball to the home plate. The other runners also touch every base, but the Oaks are retired on the play. CAN THIS BE DONE? IF SO, TELL HOW. IF YOU THINK IT CAN'T BE DONE, TELL WHY.

Problem 2.—With Oakland at bat in the last half of the ninth inning, the score tied and none out, Roxy Middleton hits into a triple play, and yet the winning run scores. CAN THIS BE DONE?

COMPETITORS ARE WARNED OF A CATCH IN THE LAST PROBLEM. THEY SHOULD READ THE PROBLEM THOROUGHLY BEFORE COMING TO THE CONCLUSION THAT SUCH A PLAY, AS STATED, CAN BE DONE.

REMEMBER WE STATED THAT IT WAS THE LAST HALF OF THE NINTH INNING THAT A RUN SCORED ON A TRIPLE PLAY. IS IT POSSIBLE TO PULL A TRIPLE PLAY UNDER THOSE CIRCUMSTANCES? If so, say why and how. If not, give us the reason.

A season pass will be given for the best answer, two tickets to the opening game on the Oakland grounds for the second best answer, and a ticket apiece to the third and fourth best answers.

Now get busy, for everybody else is discussing the problems.

Painless Parker---Outlaw

His Confessions

CHAPTER LXXXVI

There never has been, so far as I know, any State Dental Examining Board about which there have not been whisperings of either incompetency, or worse. Of course, this is all very unjust and very cruel when we stop to realize that these men are leagued to war for an ideal. They are St. Georges, of high resolve, of lofty motive, of rare courage, who fear not to go out and do battle with the dragons that rear their foul heads against Trust dentistry.

Well, anyway, here's an instance in point:

A few years ago, so the story goes, a young man graduated from a certain dental college with such a distinguished record that he was awarded the gold medal, which was given each five years to the student who stood the highest in his class and passed the best examination.

In the same class was another student who had the distinction of being recognized as the biggest "boob" the college had seen in a long while. This lad with the tenantless garret could not graduate at the end of the three-year course. He couldn't "get by" after a fourth year, and it was just as hopeless after he had tried a fifth year. The young man's parents pleaded so hard with the faculty that, finally, it was agreed that if he would go before the State Dental Board and could pass the examination there, the college would slip him his diploma.

The "boob" and the gold-medalist both took the examination at the same time, answering the same questions in the same room. The result was that the Board refused a license to the honor graduate and granted one to the bonehead.

On the face of these facts, one might imagine that there had been, in this case, a slight miscarriage of justice. And some people might be inclined to cavil. But we, who have watched the workings of the State Dental Board, know that this just can't be so. The Dental Board is committed to the great and holy task of protecting the good people against incompetent dentists. Whatever may be the facts, this point must never be lost sight of. We dull, ordinary folks know not what weighty considerations caused these guardians of our teeth to turn down the gold medalist and send the chump out to wok at large on your and my molars.

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CHINA AND THE WAR.

When the United States government suggested to other neutral nations that they follow its lead in severing diplomatic relations with Germany, it was not the aim of the President to form another league of nations to take the offensive against the central powers, or to lend aid to the present enemies of Germany. It was the sole purpose of the President to line up all neutrals in a joint protest against the policy of ruthless disregard of international law by Germany, and the unlawful acts that are menacing the lives of neutrals.

China is the only nation so far to follow the lead of this country. As previously explained, none of the other neutrals had pursued their peaceful means of safeguarding their rights to the limit of exhaustion, as had the United States, and it was but natural that they should desire first to try everything short of open rupture.

But China, so far as is known, had few important complaints against submarine warfare and it has never been stated that her diplomatic efforts had met with rebuff at Berlin, if any were exerted. This is not essential, it is true, to justifying the action of the Peking government in severing diplomatic relations with Berlin. The manifesto to resume indiscriminate warfare on neutral shipping and non-combatant lives was cause for even a more emphatic protest.

The fact remains, however, that the Chinese government has not availed itself of all reasonable means of preventing a rupture of relations with a friendly power. This is a bad example in itself and were it not for the extraordinary nature of the present situation, every great power would join in rebuking such action. It is also obvious that China did not adopt this course because of the request and the example of the United States. Entente powers have done vastly more to influence China to abandon neutrality; the United States has merely played into their hands by providing an opportunity to disguise their intrigues at Peking and to throw the cloak of decency around an act that would otherwise be condemned.

China has really entered the war on the side of the entente and has not joined with the United States in protesting against the disregard of the law of nations. Her participation will not greatly add to Germany's tasks during the war, but it has consigned the peaceful enterprises of Germany and Austria-Hungary in the Far East to a dismal and doubtful future.

"SERVING SENTIMENT."

Apparently there is a fairly large proportion of the people that think sentiment is more important than service. This is particularly noticeable in the controversies in the State legislature over proposed laws; there appeals to sentiment, as against reason and legitimate ideas of public service, not only reach inordinate heights, but go to almost indecent lengths in trying to convert ignorance and the emotional side of man to the interest of sentiment.

As an example there is the Gelder fight on vaccination and the compulsory safeguards against the spread of contagious diseases in the public schools. In the first instance, he has surrounded his anti-vaccination fight with all sorts of hideous and revolting untruths to confuse the public mind, to the absolute disregard of the service to society in general through compelling every possible precaution against smallpox epidemics. In the second place, he supports his argument against the compulsory medical inspection of school children by the spurious plea that he wants the parents and guardians of children to say who their physicians shall be. Both arguments are false and aim to decrease the efficiency of public service through the exploitation of appeals to sentiment and the emotions which self-seeking individuals have prepared. In the current monthly bulletin of the State Board of Health it is stated that the health officer of Oakland, by excluding from the public schools all persons who gave any indication of illness, prevented recently an epidemic of scarlet fever. Mr. Gelder would make such beneficial precaution absolutely impossible.

Another sentimental and emotional campaign is to be observed in the fight against the bill authorizing the sale of unclaimed animals in the public pounds to official and recognized institutions of medical research. The society for the prevention of cruelty to animals and the anti-vivisection society are flooding the State with exaggerated tales of indiscriminate slaughter and torture of animals in research institutes, and their agents are lobbying with the members of the legislature and circularizing all the newspapers in an effort to preserve sentiment regarding animals at the expense of human service and the promotion of scientific knowledge. The pathetic part about these emotional efforts is that the "antis" display no conscience about libeling and slandering research work. They show no sign of knowing or recognizing anything about the value to humanity of the serums, antitoxins and vaccines which have come out of such work. It probably would be impossible to convince these pleaders that if by killing all the dogs and cats in the country, claimed and unclaimed, a cure for infantile paralysis could be found the loss of the animals would be worth while. No more would it be possible to convince many of them that the life of a child is more valuable than the life of a pet animal.

What is needed most in these issues is a calm consideration of the exact facts. If unnecessary experimentation is being conducted with animals the practice may be regulated, but the legislature should not deny the research institutions the use of such animals as may be necessary for proper and legitimate purposes. Underneath the surface of pompously paraded sentiment and the display, by those who have the time and temperament, of deep affection for pets, there is a stronger, never-silent need to be met. It is the progress of humanity to better health of mind and body, to better conditions, to knowledge and happiness. If the self-sufficient sentimentalist tries to stand in the way he must be brushed aside.

CHARGE FAILURE TO LOBBY.

San Francisco's municipal lobby on the naval base project, through its advance agent and spokesman, City Clerk Dunnigan, is trying to sidestep the blame for delay in securing the appropriation from Congress for this important defense unit by charging it to others. Lobby Spokesman Dunnigan says the failure to get the $1,500,000 appropriation was due to the antagonism of Senator Works and "the ill-timed plea for Mare Island by Representative Curry."

This is poppycock, pure and simple. That Mr. Curry spoke favorably for the appropriation to increase the facilities at Mare Island was not a sign that he was opposed to the new naval base on San Francisco bay. The Mare Island increase was recommended by the Helm naval base commission, just as was the new naval site. It came before the House because the conference committee could raise no reasonable objection to it. Mr. Curry spoke for it because he was given the opportunity. Mr. Curry is for any legitimate project to advance the interest of California. He is not moved by petty sectional jealousies. Had the new naval base appropriation amendment been presented on the floor of the House he would have championed it just as earnestly as he did the Mare Island appropriation. His long record in Congress is a sufficient refutation to the ridiculous charge of the spokesman for San Francisco's municipal lobby.

The main reason the new naval base appropriation was not accepted by the House was because this municipal lobby, of which City Clerk Dunnigan was one of the spokesmen, adopted petty political tactics as their program and tried to override the decision, whatever it might have been, of the distinguished commission of naval officers appointed by Congress to select the naval base site.

President Wilson sent the nomination of Assistant Surgeon Grayson to be a rear admiral of the navy to the new Senate after it had been refused confirmation by the last filibustering Senate. This act spoke well for the President's capacity for personal friendship, notwithstanding that it may have ignored the temperament of the people. The new Senate yielded and voted Dr. Grayson confirmation. But the Senate refused ratification of the $25,000,000 treaty of apology with Colombia, and that un-American document has been withdrawn for revision before it is again submitted to Congress. The Senate is thus revealed as being willing, after due persuasion, to compromise in a matter of specially rewarding the President's personal physician for the performance of his legal duties, but a trifle more correct in the matter of national dignity and honor.

IMPOVERISHED ADULT LIFE.

(Chicago Tribune.)

The need of censorship is directly traceable to the manner of life which has created the need of apartment houses. When most of us lived in houses the children played in the back yard with the dog. Now that we live in apartment houses there is no back yard and the dog is a lap dog. The children are in the community and the community has to be regulated for them. It is sufficiently obvious.

But the necessity of interference with the private amusement of adults for the benefit of the children is nevertheless irksome. It is infuriating to many an adult to read of three or four public spirited women and several preachers pronouncing on the morality or immorality of a motion picture; forbidding any one to look at it.

It is because the adult realizes that life is being impoverished for him by censorship, necessary or not, that he opposes censorship of anything which he enjoys. He cannot see why even if cities are becoming nurseries his diet should be modified milk. In a community which offers no interest to any one over fourteen years old, where every enjoyment is surrounded with prohibitions for the benefit of morons and epileptics, there is no use growing up.

Adults will some time rebel against a system which offers no rewards for self-restraint and does not open up a wider life for wisdom and sophistication. If we have to destroy adult life in order to bring children safely to it we shall have failed stupidly, for our sacrifices will have gained us nothing. We shall be all dressed up morally—with no place to go and nothing interesting to do.

NOTES and COMMENT

While the citizens of St. Petersburg and all Russia rose up for liberty, the Socialist women of Glasgow were marching threateningly for potatoes. Showing that the motive for starting something may vary at different points.

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T. R. commends Senator Sharkey's bill, which would introduce military training in the public schools. T. R.'s O. K. gets at least a once-over wherever it may be affixed.

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The Marin Journal says this, with the air of an expert in such things: "The twenty-seven greatest liars of the universe have been discovered. They are seniors in Princeton University and profess never to have been kissed by a girl."

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Somebody is getting up petitions for the transfer of Judge Ogden because he does not come down hard enough on husbands and fathers who do not provide. Persons who may have been affected by such delinquency of culprits have a right to have feelings over it, perhaps; but others merely butt in when they take part in such proceedings.

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The Fish and Game Commission appears to have scored another victory in the reporting out from the Senate committee of the non-sale-of-trout bill with a recommendation that it do pass. If the bill becomes a law, the only way one can get a taste of trout is to be a fisherman, or have a considerate friend who is.

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One of those who finds the air about the capitol more lungfilling—in short, who breathes freer—since Thursday noon is Secretary of State Jordan. The Governor has gone, the Secretary is there yet. Which, considering all that has happened in the last six years, is rather an unexpected climax.

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Official statement amplified by the Corning Observer: "An Oakland health officer states that kissing is responsible for many colds. It is also responsible for considerable warmth."

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Unsympathetic item from the Nevada City News: "Peanut roaster blew up in Chico the other day and put out an eye of the proprietor. One eyes is enough for most peanut venders, as they only fill the sack half full, anyway."

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There is an account of a young man who follows the sea, but concluded to marry. The story really begins when he came into court a month later for a divorce. It seems that his disillusionment ensued when his bride would not let him whistle or smoke. That may not be cause for divorce, but it is a competent signal that married life is not all it may sometimes seem.

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The Russian upheaval under some conditions might be counted to comfort the Central powers, but not under those which prevail. Quite the reverse. In fact, the upheaval resulted from the leaning of the old regime toward the German cause.

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It is possible that the abdication of Czar Nicholas is the first considerable sign of a general tottering of thrones that may be one of the results of this world convulsion.

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It is probable that until yesterday several thousand people had an imperfect idea of the magnitude of the shredded wheat concern that so quietly slid into town and built such an extensive and up-to-date plant.

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President Ripley of the Santa Fe is about the only railroad man of the first magnitude who keeps a stiff upper lip in the face of the threatened strike. He says he feels just as he did six months ago, which was unyielding.

SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS

In line with the work of the women's clubs, several other clubs of the county have taken up the work of tree planting. At Rocklin the Women's Improvement Club has arranged for the observance of a tree-planting day March 21, when it will plant Oriental trees at the east and west limits of the city. Last week the Lincoln grammar school students observed Arbor day by planting fifty English elm trees purchased by the city.—Auburn Republican.

A recent announcement in the Recreation Magazine is that Dr. Zane Grey recently wrote from Florida as follows: "I caught a whopper of a bone fish yesterday. Say! Talk about sport! He is the swiftest and hardest fighting fish I have met." Grey fished at Catalina last summer, and his next story, entitled "Two Fights With Swordfish," will be, we believe, the most dramatic fishing story he has written. Incidentally, Grey's brother was along and witnessed those two fights—his first experience. At one stage he was offered the rod. "Not on your life!" he exclaimed. There is no more keen and clever sportsman comes to Catalina island than Dr. Zane Grey, and he has become a leading authority on swordfishing.—Avalon Islander.

A search through the different works on fishes of the Pacific coast has revealed a number of differences of opinion, much theory, and little fact. It is high time some competent authority was instructed to revise the classification of our fishes. With the ever-growing cannery industry demands, and the information desired by anglers, it would seem as though the government should do some investigating. Much money has been spent to secure data on the fishes of the rivers and lakes, but what about our ocean game fish—the edible fish of the sea—the valuable food supply of the Pacific coast?—Avalon Islander.

TODAY 20 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Florence Blythe Hinckley is building an addition to the Hinckley mansion in Fruitvale.

The theory is again revived that there is a flow of water under Berkeley that could be utilized to the great benefit of that city.

Dr. Myra Knox is mentioned as a likely candidate for the presidency of the new Board of Education.

Mrs. Sol Greenhood has returned from a six weeks' trip to Highland Springs.

WHY NOT COME TO CALIFORNIA?

IN JUSTICE TO COLONEL WEINSTOCK.

To the Editor of The Tribune:

In your issue of March 14, in an editorial on the state market commissioner, we find a statement that Colonel Weinstock has openly disregarded and violated the law; that he has done this contemptuously, designedly and flagrantly, and, further, that he has violated and disregarded the market commission act.

Relying on your sense of justice, I call to your attention the following facts which I feel it your duty to publish:

Replying to your statement that Colonel Weinstock has violated the state commission market act, I quote from section 3 of the act, as follows:

"The commission market director shall establish and maintain in any and all cities and towns of the state, where and when the conditions are in his judgment most suitable * * * markets for the receiving, care, sale and distribution of the agricultural, fishery, dairy and farm products of California."

The act, therefore, makes it the duty of the state market commissioner to establish markets only when and where in his judgment the conditions are most suitable. In other words, he is to use his best judgment as to the establishment of state markets.

Colonel Weinstock has stated time and time again that he does not believe that the present conditions justify the establishment of state markets. Therefore, if he should establish state markets at the present time, believing as he does, he would be violating his oath of office as a state officer. Yours very truly,

PHILIP S. EHRLICH.

San Francisco, March 15, 1917.

To the Editor of The Tribune:

The municipal market project of Mayor Davie has provoked an attack from Colonel Irish upon the mayor and, incidentally, upon the idea of establishing the market. I hold that a municipal market where all sorts of foodstuffs can be bought at as near cost as possible is a crying need, and the mayor is entitled to credit for suggesting it and for trying to establish it.

His plan as it is commonly understood is not to duplicate the present worthless public markets, but to establish one, under proper management, where all sorts of foodstuffs can be bought as cheaply as possible. This would involve a public abbatoir and the carrying of a complete stock of staple groceries.

Everyone who has studied the question thoroughly knows that meats are being sold to the consumer at a price outrageously out of proportion to that at which cattle, sheep and hogs are bought from the stockmen. With steers selling, after a severe shrinking to reduce weight, at 8½ cents a pound on the hoof, there is no legitimate reason why the consumer buying direct from the slaughterers should pay more than 15 cents a pound for the choice cuts and 12½ cents for the coarser meats. The same is true of pork and mutton, in which the shrinkage in weight is far less than in the case of cattle.

Under existing conditions, the wholesaler must pay expenses and make a profit, after which the retailer must take his toll. The result is that the consumer is forced to pay a price which is outrageously high or to dispense with meat upon his table.

Groceries are sold at a price calculated to meet cost, operating expenses, allowance for unpaid accounts and a considerable profit to both wholesaler and retailer. A municipal store buying and selling for cash and dealing directly from the manufacturer to the consumer would only need to add enough profit to cover the cost of selling.

The city which first adopts this system will take a long step toward the relief of poverty and the prevention of awful destitution. The example will soon be followed by every city in the country. You may call it socialism, or paternalism, or by whatsoever name you choose, but it is right in principle and must ultimately prevail.

There is a fast spreading sentiment in this country that the prosperous owe something to their less fortunate, or less capable, fellows, and that it is far better to prevent poverty than to care for its unfortunate victims in our jails and poorhouses, where they are objects of derision, contempt or victims of poorly administered, politician-directed, inadequate charity, which outrages every sense of righteousness and is as galling to the recipient as it is shameless in those who bestow it.

I believe that Mayor Davie is on the right track, and that his efforts deserve the cordial support and encouragement of every one.

H. J. CORCORAN.

Oakland, March 15, 1917.

THE OLD COW BELL.

You've scaled the rugged mountainside
To many grassy bowers;
You've scanned the meadows far and wide
Among the dainty flowers;
And on the hill or in the dell
Your echoes ever rolling,
Betrayed the place, old rusty bell,
Where all the herd was strolling.

And when erratic sounds of thine
Continually were flowing,
Oh, then it was the busy kine
The herbage green were mowing;
But when you cast a steady ring
Alongside the hillside tending,
Then for the cool, refreshing spring
The thirsty herd was wending.

And when you failed to give a sound
With other noises vying,
Then in the shade all grouped around
The panting herd was lying;
But when you jingled loud and shrill
The cows were homeward wending,
All in a lope and down the hill
In single file descending.

—Atlanta Constitution.

NO FRIEND OF CHILDHOOD

Dr. Maria Montessori of Rome is a justly famous woman. She is internationally known as an author and educator, and she has given her name to a system of elementary training that has supplemented kindergarten methods, and in some places supplanted them. She has been hailed as a more modern Froebel.

A few days ago Dr. Montessori gave an address in Boston at a meeting arranged by the New England Montessori Association. And in this address she foretold the coming of the time when toys will be unknown and when children will find enjoyment in useful things adapted to their mental level. She said many other interesting things, but this is the thing that sticks in the memory—and at which the normal instinct strongly protests.

If there is going to be such a prosaic and totally utilitarian age as Dr. Montessori predicts, let us give thanks that we shall in all probability not live to see it. When children are taught to find all their pleasure in doing "useful" things, this world is going to be a pretty drab old place. With dolls and kites and woolly lambs and hoops and jumping-jacks abolished, Santa Claus will shut up his shop for good. Christmas trees will become obsolete, the glaring sunlight of realism will drive the elves and fairies and soft, gray shadows from the wonderland of childhood; the imagination will be strangled at its birth, and the very springs of poetry and fancy will be drained dry to clear the ground for a turnip field.

It is fortunate that men—the children of a larger growth—have their toys and playthings that no feminine edition of Thomas Gradgrind can take away from them. They have canvas and paints and brushes, and the aesthetic sense that knows that beauty is its own excuse for being, and that it is as important in the scheme of life as the "useful" things thereof. To substitute useful tools for toys, however, would be to murder this aesthetic instinct at the point of its tenderest growth.

It is pleasant to be able to doubt whether substitution of that sort can ever take place. You can't fool a child. You may lead him to a factory and tell him that picking knots out of cotton threads is play, but he won't believe you after he has done it for a day or two. And after he has done it a year or two, he will not be a child at all, but a premature old man with a shriveled heart and a dead soul. Froebel was right, and Montessori is off the track. Dolls and kites are better.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE JESTER

Not in Stock.

"How much are calories? I want to buy 500," a young woman inquired of the floorwalker.

"Calories?" he replied. "I don't believe—500—I doubt if we have that many in stock?. However, inquire at the dress goods counter."

"Have you any calories in stock?" she asked the clerk.

"Calories? What's them?" The clerk for once looked puzzled.

"Well, I don't know. But I know this wouldn't be the department. Calories, you know, are something to eat. I went to a food lecture the other day and they said to eat at least 500 calories a day. I suppose it's a vegetable."

"I suppose so," said the clerk.—Columbus Dispatch.

Just the Man.

"They say that Miss Snapper is going to marry an army officer."

"Well, I should think that a man who makes a business of war might be able to get along with her."—Boston Transcript.

Quite a Pile.

"No wonder Germany is short of metal."

"What now?"

"Think of all the gauntlets she has thrown down in front of Uncle Sam."—Boston Transcript.

At the Box Office.

The Sea Captain—Two on the gangway.

The Bowling Fiend—On the alley, please.

Bald-Headed Deacon—Up near the chancel.

The Old Lady—Away from the draughts

The Horseman—A couple of stalls, son.

Mr. Justwedd—Two down the center aisle.

Street-car Conductor—Up front, please.

Man with Nagging Wife—Two with a post between.—Boston Transcript.

Necessity.

He—People are saying you married me for my money.

She—Well, I had to give them some reason.—Chicago Herald.

The Home Port.

Knicker—Outlate is three sheets in the wind.

Bocker—And doesn't want notice of sailings given to his wife.—New York Sun.

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MILITIA MAY BE KEPT BY NEW ORDERS

Relaxation of "Full Strength" Order Is Expected for Time Being by National Guards

Precautionary Instructions Are Issued by War Department Telling Mobilization Proposal

That the precautionary instructions sent out by the War Department to the state adjutant-generals regarding the use of the national guard in the event of war may avert the possibility that A and F companies of the Fifth Infantry and Battery B of the Field Artillery may be mustered out on April 1, unless they are brought up to the minimum strength by that date, is the opinion of Major Ralph J. Faneuf. Although he has as yet received no instructions from the adjutant-general or any official interpretation of the instructions issued by the federal government, he interprets the move toward preparedness as an indication of a greater leniency toward the incomplete companies.

"I believe that the present crisis in international affairs with its threat of the possibility of war is making the department relax the strictness of the orders issued about the immediate completion of all companies to full strength," he said. "This is, of course, my personal opinion, and is not justified by any word that I have received from my superior officer. So far no communication on the subject has reached me."

DETAILS ARE GIVEN.

The circular of instructions issued by the militia bureau of the War Department gives specific details as to what shall be done by the National Guard organizations in each state in the event of a call to the colors. Mobilization under the plan outlined would be conducted by the regular army departmental commanders, who would be authorized to select sites for mobilization camps and to "make provision for shelter, recruitment and the formation of the recruit training battalions in the eventuality of war."

The circular also makes clear that there is to be no dual status for the National Guard in the federal service hereafter. No individual will be accepted who has not taken the oath prescribed by the national defense act. At the time of the border mobilization about 40,000 men were held under the old Dick bill provisions, classified as members of the organized militia, not of the National Guard.

"Individuals who are members of the organized militia," the circular says, "and who take the prescribed oath, will be accepted and given proper credit for the time served in their existing enlistment contract in the organized militia."

NOT WAR MOVE.

The War Department specifically states that these instructions shall not be taken as a warlike move, but merely as precautionary. This policy is understood to be the reason why the mobilization of the navy has not been ordered. Some navy officials have favored that step, but it has not met with the approval of the administration.

Huge Stockyard Deal Consummated

Purchase of the Grayson, Owen Company stockyards and slaughterhouses in Emeryville by Urotes M. Slater and Thomas W. Corder, millionaire meat packers of this city, at a priced rumored at approximately $1,000,000 is announced. The deal will be completed within a few days and the new combination will go into effect May 1. The new corporation will be known as the Grayson, Owen Packing Company.

The Grayson, Owen corporation, one of the oldest in the West, was organized by George W. Grayson and W. J. Owen in 1872 and was incorporated under its present name in 1900. J. W. Phillips has been president for thirty-five years and Irving C. Lewis vice-president for more than twenty years. Other officials of the company are: P. B. Lynch, secretary, and J. C. Mitchell, treasurer.

Under the tentative agreement Phillips and his associates will relinquish their interests in the stockyards, packing houses and properties at Emeryville, but will retain their other holdings, including a 20,000-acre cattle ranch in San Luis Obispo county.

The Grayson, Owen plant adjoins the U. M. Slater Company yards at the foot of Sixty-fifth street, in Emeryville. It is understood that the two properties will be combined and that Thomas W. Corder, dealer in hides, wool and sheepskins, will handle the by-products at the Corder tannery, Sixty-seventh and Bay streets.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES.

Tomorrow's procedure at the Twenty-third Avenue Baptist church, Twenty-third avenue and Seventeenth street, includes a morning sermon, "Seeing Visions," by Rev. John N. Garst, and baptism of young men at the evening service.

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STEPHENS FINDS HE HAS BIG JOB

STATE CAPITOL, SACRAMENTO, March 17.—Governor William D. Stephens is discovering very rapidly that it is no boy's job to drive the Johnson political machine through the boulder-strewn alfalfa fields of California.

The political beehive seems to have been knocked clear over when Johnson left the state capitol and there is nothing doing here but a loud buzzing.

Since Thursday the legislature has been merely marking time. No one pretends to do any work. Everyone is concerned with the future—with the lineup and the battle of 1918. In some quarters it is declared that Johnson has positively gotten behind Mayor Rolph for governor and will knife Stephens in the primaries.

They point out that the appointment of Al McCabe to the job of insurance commissioner, with his office in San Francisco, is prima facie evidence of this deal, and that McCabe will devote himself more to the upbuilding of the mayor's candidacy than to the business of insurance during the next year and a half.

The impending railroad strike has given Governor Stephens something unlooked-for to worry about. Should the California railroads be tied up the issue will confront him squarely, and more than one governor has come up triumphant, or has gone to political death, during a great strike.

Labor is so strong in California politically that any strike situation cannot be successfully handled here as it has been in other states.

The governor is expected to deliver his message to the legislature early next week. The Senate did not meet today at all and the assembly merely attended to some routine matters and voted on a few bills.

Rominger Bill Is Urged at Hearing

SACRAMENTO, March 17.—The Rominger anti-saloon and ardent spirits bill was given a public hearing yesterday afternoon by the senate public morals committee. Action on the measure will not be taken until early next week. The chief arguments for the passage of the bill were made by H. F. Stoll, secretary of the California Grape Protective Association, and Justin McGrath, managing editor of the San Francisco Examiner. Stoll said that the wine growers had grown weary of the steady round of wet and dry elections nad had endorsed the Rominger bill, as they thought it would definitely settle the state's liquor problem.

McGrath urged the passage of the measure because it would abolish saloons and ardent spirits and tend to reduce intoxication and its attendant evils of poverty and misery. L. R. Rogers, a grape grower of Fresno county, also spoke for the bill.

The opposition was represented by A. A. Denison, of the Alameda County Property-owners' Protective Association; Harry Ryan, of the Trades Union Liberty League, and Newton E. Clemenson, of the California Wet Federation. Ryan said that in addition to destroying the occupations of thousands of workmen, the Rominger bill would not settle the liquor questions.

Electrocution Bill Killed in Committee

SACRAMENTO, March 17.—The Goetting electrocution measure, which aimed to replace capital punishment by hanging at San Quentin and Folsom with electrocution at Folsom prison exclusively, has been killed in the Assembly committee on prisons and reformatories.

Recommendation for passage has been accorded the Morris Sunday closing bill by the labor and capital committee of the Assembly. The bill provides that work on Sunday shall not be carried on in stores, offices, mines, factories, barber shops and bakeries. It excepts the sale of medicines and operation of hotels, restaurants, places of amusement, daily papers and other "necessary or emergency" pursuits.

Assembly Adopts Co. Government Measures

SACRAMENTO, March 17.—The Assembly was the only body to hold session today. County government bills were adopted with a rush, including:

By Carlson—Granting additional deputies and increases of salary of officers of Fresno county.

By Williams—Fixing jury fees and increasing salaries in Mariposa county.

By Kyleberg—Fixing salaries at $50 a month for justices of the peace in Madera county townships outside the city of Madera.

Stephens Asks About Cothran's Detention

SACRAMENTO, March 17.—Governor Stephens this afternoon wired Secretary of State Lansing asking that inquiry be made of the American embassy in London as to the circumstances in connection with the detention of Carroll Kip Cothran of Sacramento by the police in London. Cothran's parents in this city have received word of the young man's arrest, but have been unable to secure further information.

Legislators Flee From Burning Capital Hotel

SACRAMENTO, March 17.—Several hundred guests, including legislators, fled from the Hotel Sequoia here early today when a fire originating in the basement threatened the entire building. Smoke filled the halls and rooms and the blaze was located only after an hour's search. It was quickly controlled and the guests went back to bed again. The damage was nominal.

Program for Aahmes Band Is Prepared

MISS ALICE DAVIES.

Notable Event to Take Place Wednesday Night at Local Cathedral.

Arrangements are being rapidly completed for the concert to be given by Aahmes Temple Band next Wednesday at Scottish Rite Cathedral. Besides several concert numbers to be executed by Aahmes Band under the direction of Professor John Smith, Mrs. G. D. Carter, soprano, and Miss Alice Davies, violinist, will appear as soloists during the concert, which is given in honor of the members of Aahmes Temple and the Scottish Rite Masons and their families. The admission is free.

Eagles to Be Hosts at Eighth Annual Picnic

Preparations have been made for the eighth annual picnic and outdoor drill by the drum corps of Oakland nerla of Eagles at Shellmound Park tomorrow afternoon. The program will feature music, dancing and sports. A committee of more than one hundred lodgemen are in charge.

Among the guests of the day will be many prominent members from the principal aeries in the state, the state officers and many of the uniform bodies. Oakland drum corps carried off first honors at the state convention of Eagles at San Diego last year and is recognized as the champion organization in the state. It is composed of Henry Kroeckel, president; G. J. Vergnes, secretary-terasurer; George Hartman, captain; A. Kirkaldie, Emil Weber, William Casazza, C. E. Whitaker, George Adams, Eddie Forrest, J. A. Maderios, A. Zollner, C. Kreutzfeldt and others.

Body Is Found in Ocean; May Be Murder

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., March 17.—The body of Pio Pico, a ranch hand who lived at Goleta, was washed up by the ocean. It contained three bullet wounds, and the authorities, while without any clew, say the evidence is conclusive that a murder was committed. Pico has been missing since Sunday.

Milk Infection Is Cause of 7 Deaths

GALESVILLE, Wis., March 17.—A streptococic infection caused by impure milk has been responsible for seven deaths here within a week, it was decided by experts called in to explain the illness of many persons from a disease never before known here. Four cows out of a herd of twenty, which supply nearly all the milk used in the city, were shot.

WILLIAMS TO SPEAK.

Harry G. Williams, president of the Merchants' Exchange, has been invited to speak at the dinner of the Men's Club of the First Congregational Church Tuesday evening. His topic will be, "What the Native Son Is Doing for His State," and Williams, who is a grand trustee of the Native Sons order, will tell of the work accomplished by the homeless children organiaztion of the Native Sons, which in the past ten years has placed 1070 orphans in good homes. The Native Daughters have aided the Native Sons in this great work. Williams, as grand trustee, has been particularly active in this humane work and will tell his hearers about it in detail next Tuesday evening.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE.

Francis J. Fluno, M. D., C. S. D., of this city, member of the board of lectureship of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., will lecture on Christian Science tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Second Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Thirty-fourth and Elm streets. The lecture will be given under the auspices of Second church and will be open to the public.

POETIC MUSIC IS WELL INTERPRETED

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Although one hundred and twenty-six years separate the dates of composition of Gluck's "Iphigenie in Aulide" and Arthur Foote's "Four Character Pieces After the Rubiyat of Omar Khayyam," their juxtaposition of this week's program of the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra brought out with vividness certain hints of modernity in the score of the operatic pioneer. Passing dissonances in divided strings were the most prominent of these confirmations of the adage that there is nothing new under the sun. But while the validity of the saying was sustained by elemental likenesses, it was shaken by the vast dissimilarity in atmospheric treatment.

If there is one state of mind which we moderns seem unable to attain, it is that grandiose and pedantically formal attitude characteristic of the eighteenth century. It is the existence of this mental gulf that makes it so difficult for us to read with patience the longeurs of Racine, Alfieri and Samuel Johnson. And this divergence of viewpoint necessarily affects our enjoyment of the music of that period, when that music is colored as is Gluck's by the theatric and pompous conventions of that age. It is a tribute to the genius of Gluck that his melodic charm and earnestness of expression surmount those temperamental barriers.

ABSENCE OF FORMALITY.

In Mozart's "Jupiter" symphony, composed at approximately the same time as the "Iphigenie" overture, there is an utter absence of stilted formality. It is one of those perfect works of art that defy dates. Alfred Hertz and his players read it for us with a joyousness as complete and unaffected as the mood in which it was composed. I was not the only one in the audience, I am sure, who wished that it might be repeated at once in all its sparkling beauty, if not all, at least the slow movement which is one of the most lovely melodic miniatures in existence.

It is interesting to note that Arthur Foote's "character pieces" were composed at the time when Omar Khayyam—plus Fitzgerald—was enjoying a popular vogue, in 1900. It was a time when the tentmaker's philosophy was on everyone's lips, when it was quoted by romantic young things prematurely pessimistic, when it was read in parlor gatherings and when parodies by the score appeared in the magazines.

There is nothing topical, however, in Foote's treatment of the impressions received from reading the disillusioned and ironic poet. The opus will remain in musical literature as a permanent pendant to the Rubaiyat, a tonal footnote in commentary thereon. Without being in the least reminiscent of Rimski-Korsakov's "Scheherazade" suite, it shows a similar coloring and a similar interpretation of Oriental processes of thought.

WELL TRANSLATED.

The divagatory theme which opens the composition in the solo clarinet and closes it in the solo bassoon is an admirable translation of the musing, half-sighing utterance of Omar. Of the four sketches depicting the aiterations of dreaming and drinking in fountained gardens, the most striking and persistent in memory is the second movement—the Persian version of "all is vanity," a rhythmic riot deeply ironic in mood and closing with two hollow chords—"the wild ass stamps o'er his head, but cannot break his sleep."

Horace Britt gave a reading of the Saint-Saens' violincello concerto at once virile and highly poetical. This work lends itself with equal force to virtuosic display or to poignant expression. Britt combined both tendencies and maintained a clarity of tone through the most hurried moments. I have not heard it played before with such an admirable balance between technique and feeling.

Weber's "Oberon" overture, with its glimpses through "magic casements" into the world of Teutonic faery, closed the program, which will be repeated Sunday afternoon.

Climb "on Wagon" Is Cause of Disaster

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—E. J. Flanagan, traveling salesman of Columbus, O., residing at the St. Francis hotel, celebrated St. Patrick's eve too generously and too ardently last night, and as he was about to enter his hostelry this morning, resolved on taking a seat on the water wagon. He spied an automobile truck of the Associated Oil Company, which from a distance looked like the sprinkling cart usually found in large cities. Flanagan did not hesitate. He proceeded to climb up on the wagon. The rounded tank was not conducive to obtaining a good foothold and he fell backward to the pavement, fracturing his left shoulder. St. Patrick's morning found him at the Central Emergency hospital.

Says Dead Student Betrayed Confidence

BLACKSBURG, Va., March 17.—Counsel for Professor Charles E. Vawter, accused of killing Stockton Heth Jr., issued a statement, saying that "after a thorough investigation of the facts surrounding the tragedy, the evidence will disclose a betrayal of friendship and confidence reposed."

This is the first statement from any member or representative of the Vawter family since young Heth was fatally shot in the Vawter house early last Tuesday morning. Heth died Thursday, and Professor Vawter gave new bonds yesterday after waiving a preliminary hearing.

Heth was a student in the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, where Professor Vawter is a member of the faculty.

A Rank Falsehood

Interviewed today, Pat Kisich said: "There is absolutely not one iota of truth in the statement that Governor Johnson will take dinner at the Saddle Rock tonight. It is true we will serve an exceptionally good repast, nevertheless the Governor will not be here. It is possible, though not probable, that he may drop in Sunday. We serve a special dinner, including squab chicken; the tariff is $1.25, less than you could get the same meal for at home.—Advertisement.

INSURANCE TANGLE IN COURT FIGHT

Agent, Dismissed Before His Renewal Commissions Were Due, Accuses Big Company

Discounting of Notes, Often Practiced by Agents, Is Involved in the Litigation

The acid test of contracts of employment by which an insurance comyany secures the services of general and special agents is being applied before a jury in Judge William H. Donahue's department of the Superior Court in an action which, after three weeks' trial, will probably be submitted to the jury Tuesday or Wednesday. The California State Life Insurance Company of Sacramento is plaintiff in an action against L. D. McCarthy, an agent, in a suit for an accounting, while McCarthy is plaintiff in a counter-action in which he asks $11,000 damages for breach of contract.

The general insurance practice of discounting and selling notes given for premiums by persons securing insurance is involved for the first time in any state court. According to the contract of employment, the company forbids the practice, although it is alleged all insurance agents dispose of notes and have them presented to the insured when due by some local bank which has accepted the note at a discount. A mass of evidence has been submitted to the jury already indicating that the company facilitated the practice of discounting notes by making deposits at banks throughout the state so that agents working in the territory could dispose of the paper.

The case is being followed closely by insurance agents who work under similar contracts. The form being tested is one universally used and is unlimited in time of duration. This constitutes an optional agreement, declares the company, which can be terminated at any time by any party to it. McCarthy alleges that he was dismissed thirty-four days before the time when he would have been entitled to renewal commissions. Under the contract, if he remained with the company for two years, he would have had a right to such renewals. Twenty-three months after his employment he was dismissed by wire while on the road. Attorney C. C. Boynton appears for McCarthy, John Stetson, attorney for the State Insurance Commission, appearing for the company.

WHAT IS DOING TONIGHT

St. Leander's parishioners give entertainment, St. Joseph's Hall, San Leandro.

Frances Willard Mothers' Club gives St. Patrick dance, school auditorium, Berkeley.

Mask and Dagger plays, High School Auditorium, Berkeley.

Masque ball and pageant, Neptune Beach, Alameda.

Board of Education meets, Berkeley.

St. Patrick's entertainment, Mission Hall, Hayward.

Shamrock Club entertainment and dance, St. Mary's College.

Sacred Heart parishioners celebrate St. Patrick's day, Sacred Heart Auditorium.

Hibernians give St. Patrick's ball, Moose Hall.

Orpheum—Road Show.
Pantages—Bob Fitzsimmons.
Bishop—Young America.
Columbia—Merry Widower.
T. & D.—Blanche Sweet.
Kinema—People vs. John Doe.
Franklin—Constance Talmadge.
Broadway—Robert Warwick.
Piedmont Baths—Ocean water swimming.
Auditorium—Joe Knowles, Alone in the Wilderness.

WHAT IS DOING TOMORROW

Art exhibit, Auditorium.

Oakland Eagles hold picnic, Shellmound Park.

Channing Club meets, First Unitarian Church, Berkeley, 7:30 p. m.

Vesper services, Y. W. C. A., 5:30 p. m.

LECTURE IS PLANNED.

Rev. Helen E. Close will speak on "The Directing Power of Faith" at a service of the First Divine Science Church in Starr King Hall, Fourteenth street near Castro street, tomorrow morning.

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Swift is serving the twenty-five days.

Today — the thirteenth — his petition for parole was heard, and determined. The determination was adverse to Swift's best interests.

It developed that when Swift was fined $150 by the justice of the peace he slapped the gold on the clerk's desk with the voluntary offer, "That's easy!"

Judge Fitzgerald drew a long breath and added:

"And twenty-five days in jail."

That wasn't so easy.

Youthful Maid Killed; Seattle Rich Man Held

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

SEATTLE, March 17. — Eugene Erickenbrack, assistant manager of the Border Line Transportation Company and widely known in shipping circles, is held at the city jail today pending investigation of the shooting to death this morning of Miss Mabel Howe, aged 19, maid at the Erickenbrack home.

Erickenbrack telephoned to the police this morning that Miss Howe had committed suicide in his bedroom last night, using his pistol, because he had reproached her for misconduct with another man. According to the story told to the police by Erickenbrack, there had been a party at the house last night in the absence of Mrs. Erickenbrack, who is visiting in California.

Erickenbrack says he caught Miss Howe during the party in the embrace of a young man, a guest of the party, and after the party Erickenbrack delivered a moral lecture to the girl. Erickenbrack says the girl retorted that her conduct with the young man guest was no worse than Erickenbrack's own with a young woman guest, and became greatly excited, finally drawing out his loaded revolver from between the mattresses of his bed. She then shot and killed herself, he said.

WATER LAND UNDERVALUED SAYS DERGE

Lake Chabot Property Worth $600,000, Declares Witness; Taxed Far Below Estimate

Witness States County Put the Figure From One to Five Times Less Than Valuation

That land near Lake Chabot, valued by the East Bay Water Company's experts at $1,900,000 which he had approximated at less than $600,000, was valued by the county of Alameda at from one to five times less than his figures for taxation purposes, was the startling statement of A. R. Derge, valuation expert for the city of Oakland, who has been on the witness stand before the State Railroad Commission, in its inquiry into east bay water rates for the past three days.

Derge's statement came at the conclusion of yesterday's testimony on redirect examination, after he had been cross-examined at length by Attorney Wiggington Creed, chief counsel for the water company on his methods in arriving at valuation figures. Derge declared he had gone to the county assessor's office and made an examination of the tax records on the 5500 acres of land in question in person.

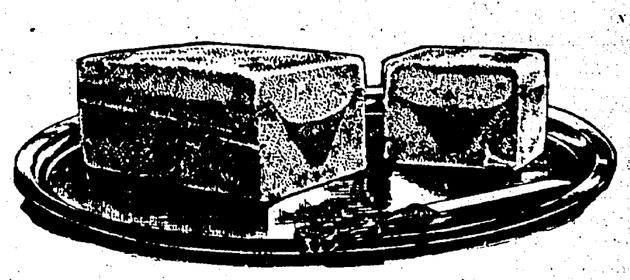
MAY SUMMONS OFFICIALS.

As a result of Derge's declaration, it is highly probable that county officials will be summoned before the commission to substantiate or disprove Derge's statements, and to give their own valuations on the property in question and the methods employed in arriving at those figures.

Derge also threw a bombshell into the commission's proceedings with the declaration near the close of the session yesterday that Frank J. Woodward, water expert on land values, had greatly under-valued all of the property of the water company, not in actual use. The significance of this statement is enhanced by previous declarations of the company's witnesses that there is a certain amount of the land in question, which is of no use and which the company would consent to have stricken from its list of water possibilities.

DERGE CLOSELY QUESTIONED.

The witness was closely questioned on his valuations of property within and without the city limits of Oakland, belonging to the East Bay Water Company. The land on which the water company's offices stand at Ninth and Broadway he valued at $1000 a foot for 37 feet. Adjacent property belonging to A. C. Henry he valued at $35,000. He declared he was sure the latter holding could be purchased for that amount, which was considerably less than the value placed on it by Woodward.



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COLLIE pup; white around neck and face; lost Thursday, near 20th and Telegraph; reward. Lake 2553.

DOG—March 15, Elmhurst, nr. 88th ave., light brown English bull pup; reward. Elm. 411.

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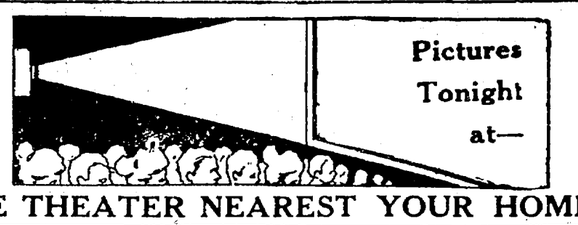

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HOUSES FOR SALE—Continued.

A REAL bargain; new house 7 rms., slp. porch; head of lake; view-lot; hdwd. floors, furnace; no agents. Owner, Lake. 1677.

A BARGAIN—9-room house; lot 50x150; good location; $2000, terms easy. Apply E. M. B., 3018 Capp st.; Ftvl. 230W.

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PROPERTY WANTED.

BUILDING LOT WANTED—I want a good building lot in exchange for a used auto; lot must be in good residence section of Oakland; no reply to this ad will be given consideration unless full information is given about property; tell me where the lot is situated, its value, the amount of your equity, or if the lot is clear. Address Box 5474, Trib.

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NEW bungalow or cottage; must have at least 5 rooms, sleeping porch and garage; will pay $200 down and agree to pay at least $30 per month; value of premises must be about $3000, and be on car line or within 1 block of car line going to City Hall; property must be clear of all encumbrances; give full particulars and location of premises; would much prefer to deal with owner. Box 5688, Tribune.

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BUILDING AND FLAT LOANS

5½% 6% 7%

MONEY NOW ON HAND

1310 BROADWAY, LAKESIDE 4300.

MONEY LOANED

on Real Estate, Mortgages and Contracts, Stocks and Bonds.

R. WHITEHEAD
ELLIS E. WOOD

207 First Nat. Bank Bldg.; ph. Oak. 1281.

WE have money to loan from $1,000 up to $70,000; close loans in 48 hrs. Barnum & Co., 625 First Nat. Bank, Oakland.

I HAVE READY MONEY ALWAYS
To Loan on Real Estate.

E. H. Lohmann

213 Union Savings Bank Building,
13th and Broadway. Oakland 1343.

REAL ESTATE LOANS.
MONEY ON HAND.

J. R. Pereira Jr.

325 CENTRAL BANK BLDG. OAK. 3415.

REAL ESTATE LOANS

Any amount ready at 6% and 7%.

KOENIG & KROLL 444 11th st. Ph. Oak. 263.

BUILDING LOANS.

I have plenty of money available at once for temporary building loans. B. G. ENSIGN, 214-15 First Nat. Bank Bldg.

L. E. CHAPIN

211 SECURITY BANK BUILDING
Real Estate and Building Loans at 6%.

LOANS on real estate, $150 up; imp. or unimp. 71 Bacon Bldg.

MONEY to loan in any amount to $50,000 at 6 per cent. Box 5611, Tribune.

SEE me for mortgage loans; charges reas. J. S. Naismith, 18 Bacon Block.

$1750—PRIVATE money to loan. Box 5615, Tribune.

MONEY WANTED.

MONEY WANTED—7% to 10%, security first mortgage. Box 507, Tribune.

WANT $4000 at 7% on residence; this is a first-class loan; no commission. Banning & Stewart Construction Co., 5204 Desmond st.

WANT a loan of $1500 on property, lot 50x125, income now $28 per month. Apply at 832 15th st., Oakland.

WANT to borrow $1000 for 2 years; pay back monthly. Box 5686, Tribune.

MONEY TO LOAN — CHATTELS AND SALARIES.

QUICK SMALL LOANS

No honest employee refused $5 to $50. Your personal note is all we require. We use lawful methods—that's why we succeed. Come in and get without security what you can repay in 3 to 5 months. The fact that we have loaned your neighbors and friends for years without your knowing it proves we are confidential and reliable, giving you the cheapest rates and the squarest deal.

D. D. DRAKE,
Room 203, 460 12th st., 948

HOME FOR ELDERLY LADIES.

PRIVATE; best care; reasonable; references. Mrs. J. May, Piedmont 8117W.

MATERNITY.

MRS. MARY ADAM, German graduate midwife, 3164 High st. Fruitvale 622W.

MEDICAL.

ICH-E-BUNGEE (death to itching); for poison oak, eczoma and all skin diseases; all druggists

SANITARIUMS.

SHEPHERD'S, 728 E. 14th st.—Maternity cases; best care; reas. rates. Merr. 4173.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MRS. B. BELMONT, clairvoyant, palmist; consult on business, family affairs, money matters. 643 12th st., hrs. 10-8.

MATRIMONIAL.

A—MARRY; most successful; hundreds rich; confidential; years' exp.; descrip. free. "Sucessful Club," Box 556, Oak.

DARE you answer? Farmer, worth $90,000, will marry. "H," 57 4th st., S. F.

RELIABLE CLUB, estab. 11 yrs.; many wealthy; priv. introductions; confidential. Mrs. Wrubel, 732 Madison; ph. O. 4037.

WIDOW, worth $95,000, very lonely, anxious to marry. Box 241, San Francisco.

MASSAGE.

AA—ELECTRIC light cabinet sweat with bath. 1528 Clay, near 16th.

AAA—MME. DUMONT now permanently located at 315 Kearny st., Apt. 2, S. F.

MISS HOLLIDAY—Massage. 155 Leavenworth st., nr. Turk, S.F. Ph. Fkln. 32.

MISS DAVEY—Massage; select patronage 223 Leavenworth, Apt. 3, 2nd floor, S.F.

NEWLY opened baths, tub, steam. Apt. 9, 506 19th st.; hours 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

"NEW BATH HOUSE"; plain tub and steam baths. Lake 3896, 530 18th st.

Sale and Wanted

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

AA—NEW lumber, lowest bids given; 2x4 to 2x12, $14 per 1000; boards, $15; ceiling, $17; rustic, $20; ¾x6 rdw. siding, $16; flooring, $20; shingles, 50c per bundle; roofing, 95c roll. E. L. Blackman Co., 4159 E. 14th st.; Fruitvale 563; evening yElmhurst 283.

AN ice box, offered for sale in this column, was bought last week by a man living in Vallejo; a 2-line advt. costs $1 a week.

CRUSIER, Jessie May, winner of Exposition cup, 20-8 foot. 389 Orange st.

ELECTRIC coffee mill, nearly new; best offer takes it. 1603 Ashby av., Bkly.

FOR SALE—Cheap; Bausch & Lomb microscope; perfect condition. Apply Jordan Printing Co., 337 13th st.

FOR SALE—Showcases and fixtures. Hansen's Art Needlework, 576 14th st.

GOING At Cost; selling out. Trunks, Suit Cases, Rain and Motor Coats. OAK HARNESS CO., 1915 San Pablo av.

GAS water boiler, $12; bath tubs, enamel basins, $6; gas water heaters, $7.50. 461 49th; nr. Tel. av.; Pied. 1521.

HAVE a few rugs and carpets left from $2 up; some lace curtains and linen; cheap. 308 E. 12th st.

JUST received white lead at 9½c; Sherwin Williams paints, varnishes, white shellac and other leading makes, all colors, from damaged railroad shipment, at less than wholesale prices. D. J. Canty, 2954 16th st.; phone Oakland 6957.

Motorcycle—Twin Indian, fully equipped, cheap for cash. 2100 Clement av., Ala.

PRESS, 7x11, and type; good condition. Jaycox, 906 Broadway. Ph. Oak. 3347.

Reliable Wrecking Co. 5301 Adeline st.; P. 8035—New & 2d-hand lumber, windows, doors, pipe, plumbing; bldgs. removed.

SAFE—A dandy bargain; see it. Harvey's Bookstore, 915 Broadway.

SODA FOUNTAIN, 12 ft (American); all marble; reasonable. Phone Lake 3567.

SEE "Movie" programs (American); all page. first Want Ad.

1 32x4 MICHELIN non-skid, 1 32x4 plain, 1 32x4 Red tube; slightly used; $20.50. 304 37th st.; Pied. 4535.

13-FOOT canvas covered boat with oars Lid sail, $7; also decoys; must sell. 623 Central av., Alameda.

$225—Crispette machine for only $125. Call at 4012 Penniman av., Oakland.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Absolutely best prices; men's, ladies', children's clothes. Muller, 530 8th; O. 6457.

I NEED diamonds; I pay full value for pawn tickets. 1070 Phelan bldg., S. F.

STEEL windmill outfit; must be in good con. and cheap. Owens, 1242 7th st.

WANT a second-hand tent, about 13x16, in good condition. 835 Mead ave.

WANTED—A good amateur wireless outfit. Box 1636, Tribune, Berkeley.

WANTED—A twin baby carriage. Mrs. A. Moran, 219 So. 13th st., Richmond.

1 DOZ. Minorca pullets, female canaries; will exchange male Japanese ring-neck pheasant or sell for cash. Box 15578, Tribune.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

A1 FURN. 5 rms., cost $500; no reas. offer refused. 3326 Cerrito av., n.m., p.m.

CIRCASSIAN walnut bedroom set, also kitchen table and chairs. 2138 Webster.

DOUBLE brass bed, G. O. small table and chair; reas. Pied. 155-J.

KINSEY FURNITURE CO. sells furniture direct from wholesalers at big saving to buyers. Of. 1601 Telegraph; phone Oak. 322; res., phone Piedmont 4654.

FURNITURE of 9-room house complete; house for rent; 5 blocks from 11th and Broadway; must sell. Oak. 7665.

FOR SALE—Lot of nice furniture of 5-rm. house; sell on acct. sickness. Box 5697, Tribune.

FIVE rooms furniture, linens, silver, etc.; no dealers. Phone Oakland 6042.

FURNITURE of 6-room flat for sale; strictly up to date. Phone Oak. 4765.

MISSION davenport for sale cheap. Ph. Alameda 3751J.

PRACTICALLY new domestic gas range, 2 ovens and broiler; reas. 433 62d st.

TWO elegant mahogany black leather upholstered rocker and straight. Phone Oakland 9515.

WEDGEWOOD stove, almost new; bargain. 631 Lincoln ave., Ph. Ala. 1783W.

FURNITURE WANTED.

AA—FURNITURE, HOUSE'LD GOODS, ETC.; POSITIVELY PAY HIGHEST PRICE; LET US BID ON WHATEVER YOU HAVE TO SELL. DAVIS, 541 11TH ST., COR. CLAY. LAKE 248.

ANY quantity small or large lot used furniture for rooming house at once; private party. Phone Oakland 2036.

FURNITURE wanted; we give you more for your furniture and household goods than you can get elsewhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1007 Clay st. Oak. 4671. 811 Phelan bldg., S. F., Douglas 641.

FURNITURE WANTED.
The highest cash price paid for furniture, household goods, carpets, rugs, etc. Feigenberg Bros., 522 7th st. Oak. 2005.

HIGHEST CASH prices paid for used furniture, any amount. Marshall Furniture Co., 591 7th st. Lakeside 173.

JIST pays the highest price for furniture and household goods, or exchanges new for old. 1014 Edway.; Oakland 3787.

WE pay 25% more for furniture, household goods, etc., than dealers. Meysel & Meysel, Auctioneers, 383 18th st., near Franklin. Phone Oakland 4479. Try us.

UNITED FURNITURE CO., Inc., pays highest prices for used furniture, store fixtures. 801 Clay; ph. Lake 2921.

FURNITURE STORED.

PRICE REDUCED on furniture storage; separate rooms. F. F. PORTER, 1421 Broadway; phone Lakeside 1000.

Rooms wanted for TRIBUNE readers. Read and use the "Want Ads."

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

APOLLO player $900; new; 60 records, cabinet and bench; $290. See 1803 Tel.

AUTOPIANO player; cost $750; like new; rich tone; $175. 502 18th. Lake. 4793.

MUST sacrifice at once a new $375 standard name mah. piano. $165 cash (private); A. M. or Jves. 1075 14th st.

MUST sell; need cash; upright piano, $50; a snap. 1803 Telegraph. Lakeside 4793.

MY new player cost $725; plain case; must sell; leaving city; $350 cash; bargain; terms. 1936 Franklin.

READ teachers' advts. in "Musical" (after "Educational") on 1st Want Ad. Page.

WE buy, sell, rent, tune, store, ship, polish or rebuild your piano; tuning $1, rent $1 and up; pianos $10 and up. FREE PIANO EXCHANGE, cor. 18th and Telegraph. Phone Lakeside 4793. 'WHERE BUYER AND SELLER MEET.'

WILL pay cash for a good plain mahogany case piano; must be cheap. Box 15523, Tribune.

WILL store piano for use; no children. 921 Willow st., West Oak.

½ SIZED violin, $7; chromatic accordion, $25; hornless phonograph, $5. Repair Shop, 1613 San Pablo.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—Wanted.

CASH for good standard make piano; might consider player. Lakeside 4793.

BIRDS, PETS AND DOGS.

BEAUTIFUL Great Dane female, 11 mos.; $15; must sell; all kinds of dogs, $5 up. New Petland, 1629 San Pablo ave. Lakeside 1376.

FOR SALE—Classy Boston terrier, female. Phone Oakland 1630.

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES.

ALL thoroughbreds; White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, Black Minorcas, Plymouth Rocks, roosters for breeding, at a sacrifice. Phone Wholesaler Diehl, 3rd and Franklin; Lakeside 464.

AN Oakland poultry dealer (name on request) sold over 3000 chickens in the last 3 weeks through an advt. in this column.

FOR SALE—Black minorca cock and trio of white-crested black polish. Phone Merritt 2894.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, $1 setting. 2037 Pacific av. Phone Alameda 2186.

HEALTHY poultry! Use MILKOLINE! Makes good layers; fattens for market trade. F. W. Diehl, 3rd st., at Franklin; Lakeside 464.

HATCHING eggs, W. L., select stock; 10c over quo. in quantity. 3930 Brookdale av.

WHITE leghorn chicks from Hoganized stock; buy direct from hatchery; get the best. Wilson's 4030 E. 14th st. Fruit. 1800J.

WHITE LEGHORN chix 7c each. Stand 23, Oakland Free Mkt., Wed. and Sat.

LIVESTOCK.

FRESH goats, kids, Indian runner ducks. 3616 Penniman ave., nr. 38th ave., Frvl.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

PARK LIVERY and SALES STABLES
Span 900-lb. horse and mare, 4-5 yrs.
Span 1400-lb geldings, 8-9 yrs.; harness.
Span 1200-lb. mares, 7-9 yrs.; harness.
Heavy harness, wagons, buggies; cheap.
271 6th St., Oakland.

RUBBER-TIRED buggy, set of harness; good condition. 4204 Pied. av.; P. 3534J.

WILL exchange horse, buggy and harness for motorcycle, or will sell in good condition. 6213 E. 14th st.

WANTED—A grocery wagon with top at a bargain. Merritt, 4278.

SEWING MACHINES.

AA—$ DOWN, $1 PER WEEK.
We carry the largest stock of machines in this city, all makes, new and used, and in a position to give great[illegible] for your money. [illegible] 11th st. Value [illegible]
[illegible] A few of our bargains: Singer, like new, $16; White Rotary, like new, $15; New Home, $15; Singer, good sewing order, $3; New Home, $8; other good machines, $2 to $6. Every machine guaranteed; machines rented, repaired, cleaned and adjusted, $1.50. DAVIS, 541 11th st., cor. Clay; phone Lakeside 248.

McNally Sells, rents and repairs all makes. 549 16th, nr. Clay. O. 1774

NEW HOME Sewing Machine Co., all makes sold, rented and repaired. 611 14th, near Jefferson; phone Oak. 1714.

TYPEWRITERS.

Rental Rates: 4 Mos., $5 Up
Rebuilt machines sold on easy terms. Corona Agency, Oakland Typewriter Exchange, 1436 Broadway, Oakland 9219.

VISIBLE TYPEWRITERS RENTED
3 Months $5
AMERICAN WRITING MACHINE CO., 506 Market st., S. F.; Douglas 649

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS will be held on Monday, the 19th day of March, 1917, at the hour of 3:30 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the principal office of said company, at the northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth street, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, for the purpose of considering the subject of the extension of the corporate existence of said corporation, and for such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

This meeting is called pursuant to resolution of the Board of Directors of said corporation duly adopted at the regular meeting of said Board, held on the 26th day of February, 1917, and at the written request of ten (10) stockholders of said corporation.

Dated at Oakland, California, March 3rd, 1917.

W. W. GARTHWAITE,
President of
THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS.
J. Y. ECCLESTON,
Secretary of
THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Knights of Columbus Hall Association of Oakland will be held on Friday evening, April 6, 1917, at 8 p. m., in the Knights of Columbus Building, 660 Thirteenth street, Oakland, Cal., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as may appear.

DAVID F. SELBY, President.
W. J. KIEFERDORF, Secretary.

NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIBILITY.

I, the undersigned, have bought the grocery business and fixtures of John H. Meyer, located at 216 Oakland ave., Oakland, California, and am in no way responsible for any debts or obligations contracted thereon by former owners. All outstanding bills must be presented on or before the 19th day of March, 1917.

(Signed) P. MAGNUSON.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

Resolved, that on and after February 28, 1917, the general offices of the Marchant Calculating Machine Company shall be removed from their present location in the Federal Realty Building, Oakland, to the factory of the company, located at Fourth and Powell streets, Emeryville station, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIBILITY.

I, the undersigned, have bought the Orpheum Grill, located at 472 12th st., Oakland, California, and am in no way responsible for any debts or obligations contracted thereon by former owners. All outstanding bills must be presented on or before the 21st day of March, 1917.

(Signed) G. A. HOEHORN.

My wife, Susana Erickson, having left my bed and board, I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her on and after this 17th day of March, 1917.

(Signed) P. ERICKSON.

My wife, Mrs. M. Sardelich, having left my bed and board, I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her on and after this, the 13th day of March, 1917.

(Signed) JOHN SARDELICH.

San Jose office of The TRIBUNE is now located at 34 East Santa Clara avenue. Phone San Jose 4756.

DOCK & DECK

The Oakland Launch & Tugboat Company was busy this morning moving a fleet of codfish schooners to the Union Iron Works, Alameda, where they will be placed on the drydock to be cleaned and painted. They were the Sequoia, Gallilee and Vega of the Union Fish Company, and will sail from here on April 1 for Behring Sea after codfish. These three craft will take 150 men away for the summer.

Another steam schooner has changed ownership, but will continue to come to Oakland harbor from Oregon. She is the G. C. Lindauer, and was purchased by the Pacific Mill & Timber Company. She was built at Aberdeen, Wash., sixteen years ago, and has a cargo capacity of 500,000 feet of lumber. Wilson Brothers, of Gray's Harbor, Wash., were her former owners.

SCHOONER SHASTA BRINGS LUMBER.

The steam schooner Shasta, with 900,000 feet of lumber from Columbia river, arrived at the yards of E. K. Wood Co., East Oakland, this morning, after a passage of 72 hours. Captain Langkide, who is master, and who lives in Oakland, was a surprised man upon his arrival. He was told that his father-in-law, Captain Charles Iverson, retired mariner, was dead and was to be buried at 2 o'clock today. Langkide was first officer with Iverson twenty years ago, and both skippers are well known in this port and along the Pacific coast.

The schooner Harvester arrived at Honolulu today with a cargo of railroad ties. She had a very rough passage, losing part of her deckload, and came limping into port on a starboard list. The Harvester was formerly a bark rig, but a few months ago was sold to the Sunset Lumber Company of Oakland and converted into a schooner at the Hanlon ship yard.

The Japanese steamer Ayaha Maru has been chartered by Mitsui & Co. to load a cargo of steel at Oakland for Yokohama. She is a new vessel, and will be ready to take her first cargo about April 1. The steel comes from the east by the Southern, and is to be used by the Japanese government for ship building.

CAPTAIN WALTERS SELLS SCHOONER CHECTO.

Captain Benjamin Walters of Oakland has sold the gasoline schooner Checto to the F. A. Williamson Company who took possession of the craft today. The Checto was formerly in the coastwise lumber trade and is equipped with two 85-horse power engines. She is now at the Pacific ship yard having alterations made, and will commence to load a cargo for Los Angeles in about a week.

Haviside Brothers, riggers and wreckers, are having a new derrick barge built which will be the largest on the Pacific coast, and will be used in salvage work. The barge is 150 feet long, 51 feet beam, and 12 feet depth. Her boom will lift 75 tons dead weight. The firm expects to have the new craft in commission by July 1.

The Norwegian steamer Canto, built at this harbor, and which took a cargo to Havana, has arrived at New York, where she is loading freight for this port, having been chartered by Williams, Diamond & Company. She will come here via the Panama canal.

The schooner Isaac Reed, formerly a ship of the deep water class, is on her journey to British Columbia in tow of the tug Hercules, for a cargo of coal consigned to Oakland. The Reed's changes were made in Oakland harbor. She is due to arrive here next Friday with 3000 tons of coal.

Change of masters in United States custom house: Captain J. A. Anderson, steamer Garden City; Captain Martin [illegible], steamer Prentiss; Captain T. A. Swanson, steamer Jaqua; Captain T. Jamieson, steamer Leland; Captain [illegible] Thompson, ship Star of [illegible].

SUN, MOON, TIDE

United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.—Table shows times and heights of high and low water at Fort Point, entrance to San Francisco bay. For City front (Mission street pier) add 25 minutes. (Standard time.)

Saturday, March 17.

Sun rose	6:18	Sun sets	6:19
Moon rises			2:18 a. m.
New moon	March 22, at 7:55 a. m.		

March 17 to March 23.

Day of Mo.	Time T.	Height H.	Time and Height of High and Low Water T.	H.	T.	H.	T.	H.
17	5:08	4.9	12:47	-0.5	8:11	3.8	.....	.....
18	0:24	2.7	6:34	5.0	1:47	-0.6	8:53	4.2
19	1:42	2.2	7:51	5.1	2:38	-0.6	9:32	4.5
20	2:47	1.6	8:57	5.2	3:27	-0.5	10:06	4.9
21	3:45	1.0	9:56	5.2	4:10	-0.3	10:43	5.2
22	4:38	0.4	10:54	5.1	4:51	0.1	11:18	5.4
23	5:30	-0.1	11:52	4.8	5:32	0.6	11:54	5.6

Note—In the above tabulations of the tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand column and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth occurring the following morning.

The columns of heights give the elevation of each tide above or below the level of Coast Survey chart sounding. The numbers are always additive to the chart depths, unless preceded by a minus sign, or dash (-), when the numbers are subtracted from the depths given on the chart.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

TO ARRIVE.

Date	Port	Steamer
Mar. 18	Los Angeles	Santa Barbara
Mar. 18	Seattle	Governor
Mar. 18	Los Angeles	Harvard
Mar. 18	Mazatlan	San Pedro
Mar. 19	Los Angeles	Beaver
Mar. 19	Los Angeles	Queen
Mar. 19	Hueneme	Aurelia
Mar. 19	Acapulco	Alliance
Mar. 20	Honolulu	Gt. Northern
Mar. 20	Seattle	Ad. Dewey
Mar. 20	Portland	Rose City
Mar. 20	Portland	Klamath
Mar. 20	Eureka	City of Topeka
Mar. 20	Los Angeles	Harvard
Mar. 20	Japan	Delagoa
Mar. 20	New York	Rotterdam
Mar. 21	Hongkong	R. G. Scofield
Mar. 21	Yokohama	Kawi
Mar. 21	Honolulu	Curline
Mar. 21	Portland	Northern Pacific
Mar. 21	Portland	F. A. Kilburn
Mar. 21	Wellington	Caloona
Mar. 21	San Diego	Multnomah
Mar. 22	Seattle	Umatilla
Mar. 22	Santa Barbara	Homer
Mar. 22	Sydney	Sonoma
Mar. 22	Los Angeles	Harvard

TO SAIL.

Date	Steamer	Destination
Mar. 18	Breakwater	Eureka
Mar. 18	Santa Barbara	Willapa
Mar. 18	Harvard	Los Angeles
Mar. 19	Yellowstone	Coos Bay
Mar. 19	Governor	Los Angeles
Mar. 20	Talahuan	Mazatlan
Mar. 20	San Pedro	Mazatlan
Mar. 20	Korea Maru	Hongkong
Mar. 20	Alliance	Mazatlan
Mar. 20	Queen	Seattle
Mar. 20	Beaver	Astoria
Mar. 20	Harvard	Los Angeles
Mar. 21	Matsonia	Honolulu
Mar. 21	City of Topeka	Eureka
Mar. 21	Aurelia	Santa Cruz
Mar. 21	Kotsu Maru	Yokohama
Mar. 21	Multnomah	Grays Har.
Mar. 21	Klamath	Astoria
Mar. 22	Northern Pacific	Astoria
Mar. 22	Rose City	Los Angeles
Mar. 22	Harvard	Los Angeles
Mar. 22	Ad. Dewey	Seattle
Mar. 22	Doris	Grays Har.
Mar. 22	F. A. Kilburn	Eureka

HOTEL ARRIVALS

HOTEL OAKLAND—P. S. Govan, Oakland; O. L. Behrens, Max Kuhn, New York; Walter J. Buerger, F. Ogden, St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Dean, Bill Rogers, Chicago; A. G. Easton and wife, Sacramento; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Worthely, Oakland, Mrs. Laura Bush, Toronto; Pearl Porter, Teresa McNulty, Butte, Mont.; F. W. Shuttleworth, Los Angeles; W. G. Pfunstein, New York; O. D. Taber, Jr., Chico; S. N. Griffith, J. Buckingham, Illinois; H. L. Beard, Los Angeles; I. L. Welustein and wife, New York; E. R. Merrill, San Leander; W. H. Wood, Sacramento; Charles Tarbell, Saynache; C. F. Guthridge, Los Angeles; C. W. Wheeler, Pittsburg, Cal.; C. S. Sutfein, Pittsburg, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Dayenbeck, M. Veghti, C. F. Gibson, Oakland; F. J. Callahan, New York; Mr. and Mrs. William Wooten, Chicago.

OFFICIAL

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, March 5th, 1917.

The regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors was called to order at 10 o'clock A. M. On call of the roll the following were present:

Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

On motion by Supervisor Mullins seconded by Supervisor Foss the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was waived and they were approved as entered in the minute-book by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

REPORTS

The following reports were filed:
Treasurer—February, 1917.
Receiving hospital—February, 1917.
County Veterinarian—February 1917.

RECEIPT FILED.

A receipt for money paid into the County Treasury as follows:
Sale of old barrels, $20.50.

APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE

The following application for liquor license was received and referred to the Franchise and License, Monday March 26th, 1917, being set for day of hearing and the Clerk directed to publish the requisite notice:

L. Hansen—Alvarado.

REQUISITIONS.

The following requisitions for supplies, etc., were allowed:

County Garage, 8; Expo. Com., 2; Receiving Hospital; County Jail, 4; Bridge Tender, 3; Recorder; Farm Advisor, 3; Probation Officer; Heating Plant, 2; Purchasing Dept.; Publicity Com.; Assessor, 3; Road Foreman; Superior Court, 3; Weights and Measures, 2; County Infirmary, 7; District Atty.; Detention Home; Janitor; County Clerk; Surveyor.

COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were received and acted on as follows:

Fire Marshall—Condition of County Buildings, Bldg. Com.

City of Oakland—In re Zone Ordinance, filed.

Walter R. Carter—Appl. for Position, filed.

E. L. Scott—Release of claims against Tiesiau Bros., filed.

CASE OF JESSIE L. NORTON

The hearing in the matter of the complaint of Mrs. A. Flores, protesting the treatment accorded Mrs. Jessie L. Norton, an inmate of the County Infirmary, coming on regularly at this time, the following witnesses were examined: Dr. W. S. Cheney, Mrs. A. Flores, Mrs. Larrabee, Ethel Pubell, Dr. C. A. Wills, Mrs. M. Bryan, Miss A. Davidson, and Miss Garabaldi and Mrs. Ida Breuner.

Thereupon the following motion was made by Supervisor Mullins seconded by Supervisor Heyer—Resolved that the evidence introduced is not sufficient to substantiate the charges, and that the Supt. of the County Infirmary be exoneraed from all criticism. Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

LAZY HUSBAND ACT

The following committee addressed the Board on the question of the enforcement of the Lazy Husband Act: E. L. Van Der Naillen, Walter T. Mills, Mrs. W. T. Cleverton, Mrs. B. C. Young, Miss Bessie J. Wood, Mrs. A. W. Foshey, Mrs. A. C. Earl, Mrs. G. E. Herrscher, Mrs. H. T. Platts.

The matter was referred to the Committee of the Whole to be taken up on Thursday, March 8th, 1917.

TRIM TREES.

Resolved, That Ed. Murello be and he is hereby employed for a period of three days to trim the trees surrounding the Hall of Records at a compensation of $3.00 per day.

On motion by Supervisor Heyer seconded by Supervisor Mullins the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

COPYIST APPOINTED

Resolved that F. H. Regan be and he is hereby employed in place of J. J. Kingston as a copyist to reproduce certain records in the County Clerk's office that are in danger of obliteration from constant use, and his compensation for said services is hereby fixed at the rate of one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125.00) per month.

Said employment to take effect March 5, 1917, and to be for a period of four months.

On motion by Supervisor Foss, seconded by Supervisor Heyer and Kelley the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

SALARIES FIXED.

Resolved: That the salaries of F. L. McCready, Geo. J. Clause and Wm. J. Rogers, chiefs engineers, be and is hereby fixed at $150.00 per month to take effect immediately.

On motion by Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Heyer, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

MECHANICIAN APPOINTED.

Resolved, That Geo. Feldman be and he is hereby appointed a Chief Mechanician in charge of the County Garage at a compensation of $150.00 per month to take effect immediately.

On motion by Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Mullins, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

TRANSPORTATION GRANTED.

Whereas, a request has been received from the Daughters of Israel asking for transportation for Joseph Pulon, and wife, and five children, to San Diego, California, and

Whereas, it appears to be to the best interest of the County of Alameda that said transportation be granted, now therefore,

Be it resolved that the Purchasing Agent be and he is hereby authorized to secure transportation for the abovenamed indigents to their respective destinations.

On motion by Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Mullins, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

SURVEY LOT.

Whereas, in the judgment of this Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, it is deemed necessary that a survey be made of that certain lot on the south side of Fourth street between Broadway and Washington streets, in the City of Oakland, on which it is proposed to construct a garage for the County of Alameda.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, That the County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to make the said survey.

On motion by Supervisor Mullins seconded by Supervisor Heyer, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

PURCHASE EQUIPMENT.

Whereas this Board is in receipt of an offer from the Square Deal Auto Repairing and Machine Shop to furnish the County of Alameda the following equipment for the county garage, viz.:

One South Bend 16-inch lathe.
One Champion drill press.
One air compressor complete.
One forge complete with tools and anvils.
One oxygen carbon burning outfit complete.
One 3-horse power General Electric motor.
2 vises, one emery wheel, one light chain block, wrenches, screw drivers, files, hammer, punches, chisels.
One set dies and taps, two blow torches, one ambulance for towing wrecks, two jacks, one tow pole, two Pyrene fire extinguishers, two oil tanks, three radius rods, for Fords, Ford equipment gaskets, brake lining, valves, globes, hub caps, etc., machine bolts, screws, rivets, locks, washers, nuts, etc., desk and chairs, now, therefore be it

Resolved, that the Purchasing Agent issue his purchase order to the Square Deal Auto Repairing and Machine Shop for the sum of $1100.00 for the purchase of the above mentioned garage equipment.

On motion by Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Mullins, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

PERMISSION TO BUILD TRESTLE.

Resolved, that the Dumbarton Land and Improvement Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of this State, be, and it is hereby granted permission to construct a temporary trestle across Beard's Slough in said county at a point about two thousand (2000) feet easterly of the mouth thereof, as shown and delineated upon the map annexed hereto, entitled "Locality of Beard's Slough, Alameda County, California, submitted by Leo Von Geldern, Consulting Engineer, San Francisco," and made a part hereof; also that said company be granted permission to maintain said trestle at the place aforesaid for a period not exceeding one year from the time of its completion.

On motion by Supervisor Heyer, seconded by Supervisor Mullins, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

ORDINANCE NO. 143.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROTECT THE HEALTH OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS IN THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, PROVIDING FOR THE CONTROL AND ERADICATION OF CONTAGIOUS AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES OF ANIMALS, PROVIDING FOR THE DISPOSITON OF CARCASSES, PROVIDING FOR THE DUTIES OF THE LIVE STOCK INSPECTOR, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. The term "Person" as used in this ordinance shall be deemed and held to mean and include individuals, corporations, associations, partnerships, trustees, lessees, agents and assigns.

Section 2. Whenever the fact has been determined by the county live stock inspector that the disease known as glanders, Texas fever, hog cholera, sheep scab, anthrax, blackleg or any other contagious or infectious disease exists among domestic animals located in this county, it shall be the duty of said officer to adopt measures to prevent the spread thereof to other animals not so affected, and for this purpose he is hereby authorized and empowered to quarantine any or all of said animals so infected, or in contact therewith, on the premises where said disease exists. Such quarantine shall remain in force until all danger of said animals spreading the infection is removed, and until revoked by said live stock inspector. During the existence of said quarantine, a placard shall be attached on the fence near the entrance to such premises warning the public of the existence of said disease. During the existence of such quarantine it shall be unlawful to remove, tear, deface, obscure, or in any other manner whatsoever interfere with any of said placards.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person to permit or allow hogs or other animals quarantined in accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of this ordinance to have access to, or to come into contact with any irrigation ditch, slough, or other channel in which water is running through such quarantined premises.

Section 4. Any person having the care or custody of any domestic animal which dies from any cause whatsoever, except when slaughtered for food, shall cremate the carcass of said animal; or, in case cremation is impossible or in conflict with state laws, bury said carcass in such a manner that the uppermost part of same shall not be nearer than two feet to the level of the surrounding surface of the ground. In all instances it shall be unlawful to knowingly allow the carcass of any animal to remain undisposed of after sunset of the day on which said animal died.

Section 5. Every person having a knowledge of the existence of any of the diseases mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance, shall forthwith report the same to the county live stock inspector.

Section 6. It shall be unlawful for any person to ship, transport, drive or bring into or through this county, or from place to place in this county, any domestic animal affected with any of the diseases mentioned in Section 2 of this ordinance.

Section 7. Every premises where domestic animals are stabled, fed or otherwise cared for shall be kept in a clean and sanitary condition, and all manure, feces, soiled litter and other refuse shall be regularly removed and stored in places where it will not be offensive to human beings or domestic animals, or it shall be cremated.

Section 8. It shall be the duty of the county live stock inspector to cooperate with the State Veterinarian of California, and upon the discovery of any contagious or infectious disease of animals said inspector shall immediately notify the State Veterinarian of California, setting forth all facts and circumstances in connection therewith.

Section 9. The county live stock inspector is hereby empowered to enter any premises where animals are kept, in order to carry into effect the provisions of this ordinance, and it shall be unlawful for any person to interfere with the official actions of said live stock inspector.

Section 10. In any action arising under this ordinance, any and all persons having an interest in the animals, or any and all persons who are in control or possession of the same, shall be liable for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 11. Every person who shall violate any of the provisions of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of this ordinance, or any part of said sections, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punishable by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six (6) months, or by a fine not exceeding Five Hundred (500) Dollars, or by both.

Section 12. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 13. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force upon the expiration of thirty (30) days after its passage, and shall before the expiration of said thirty (30) days be published for one (1) week (seven publications), with the names of the members voting for and against the same in the Oakland Enquirer, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said county.

On motion by Supervisor Kelley seconded by Supervisor Heyer, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

CLAIMS AND PAY ROLL.

On motion by Supervisor Mullins, seconded by Supervisor Foss, the following claims as approved by the Auditing and Finance Committee and shown on the Register of General Warrants, also Pay Roll, were ordered paid to the respective claimants in the sums and out of the funds designated by the following vote:

Ayes, Supervisors Foss, Heyer, Kelley, Mullins and Chairman Murphy—5.

GENERAL FUND—1916-17.

Amer. Dist. Tele. Co., $47.50; Bowman Drug Co., $2.50; Frank Barnet, $488.25; Edgar H. Barber Co., $1.44; Bradshaw Elec. Co., $98.16; Louis Bernstein, $15.00; Alice T. Burnell, $255.40; S. H. Buteau, $15.00; V. A. Derrick, $10.00; F. T. Instterberry, $20.00; Manuel Distrella, $3.00; Darlings Prescription P., $1.80; L. A. Elke, $150.00; W. V. Eberly, $20.00; Geo. W. Frick, $42.20; Fremming & Browning, $6.30, $3.00; Fruitvale Progress, $16.75; W. E. Gibson, $17.25; B. J. Getchell, $95.00; Great Western Power Co., $23.40; H. N. Gard, $9.84; S. H. Huebbe, $370.00; Leo. P. Haas, $20.00; O. D. Hamlin, $30.00; Howard Auto Co., 60c; Geo. J. Helms, $10.65; Chas. W. Heyer, $11.45; P. A. Haviland, $30.85, $1075.73, $7.65; Jackson Furn. Co., $84.00; Kahn Bros., $14.85; R. S. Kitchener, $77.45; A. S. Kelly, $5.00; J. B. Lanktree, $1.00; Masonic Temple Assn., $20.00; J. W. Mc

STOCKS and BONDS DIRECT BY WIRE FROM EXCHANGE BOARD QUOTATIONS NEW YORK CHICAGO SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE and GRAIN LOCAL EASTERN & FOREIGN FINANCE

Comment and Opinion

NEW YORK, March 17.—Foreign and domestic developments as represented by the Russian revolution and the threatened railway strike, were the enlivening features of an otherwise dull week in the stock market. The effects of the upheaval in Russia involve many considerations of grave importance, according to bankers with international connections, but their full extent may not be revealed for some time.

As for the controversy between the railway managers and the brotherhoods, President Wilson's course in appointing a mediation committee will, it is believed, go far towards effecting a temporary solution of that problem. Rails were under restraint during the greater part of the week, but strengthened visibly yesterday.

The course of industrials and numerous specialties was extremely variable, but in these groups, too, marked improvement was noted in the later dealings. War shares, including those of companies having large contracts with the Russian government hardened in a way to indicate that the values of these contracts will suffer no depreciation.

United States Steel and allied shares were active, probably in response to the further advance in prices of finished materials and an announced inquiry for these products. Metals moved with less regularity and shippings were only moderately better, despite the more definite attitude of the government respecting armed neutrality and a payment of an initial dividend on Mercantile Marine preferred.

The new low record reached for exchange on Rome was accompanied by reports of an effort by the Italian government to negotiate a loan in this market. Rubles were under pressure, but held well above their minimum of last year.

Enormous additional receipts of foreign gold, all for account of the allies, are believed to presage another loan to Great Britain. It is understood that a French loan yielding 6 per cent will be offered by American bankers, who have also purchased additional obligations of Canadian provinces and municipalities.

Because of wire trouble E. F. Hutton received no Eastern stock quotations today.

BRISK BUYING OPENS MARKET

By CHARLES W. STORM,
Staff Correspondent International News Service.

NEW YORK, March 17.—There was brisk buying at the opening of the stock market today, some issues advancing to the highest prices in some time. Marine common was up 1¼ at 28¾, and the preferred 1¼ at 81½. Bethlehem Steel "B" rose 2¾ to 213. United States Steel common rose a point to 112¾. Many of the minor steel industrials made gains ranging from fractions to over a point. American Smelting advanced ½ to 106 and Utah ½ to 114¾. American Hide and Leather, common and preferred, were both active and strong. Central Leather rose ¾ to 92½. Anaconda rose ¾ to 85. The railway issues were traded in to only a small extent, with mixed changes in these issues.

Continued accumulation of the marine issues carried those stocks to the highest levels touched in a long period. The preferred rose from 81 to 87¼ and the common closed with a net gain of about two points. Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies and Pacific Mail made moderate gains.

United States Steel common closed at 112¾. A number of the minor steel industrials closed with good net gains.

Total sales today, 872,400 shares; bonds, $1,682,000.

Total sales this week, 2,934,300 shares; bonds, $17,792,000.

The stock market closed strong; government bonds unchanged; railroad and other bonds unchanged.

NEW YORK SUN REVIEW.

The New York Evening Sun financial review today said:

With the stock market more or less apathetic this week, with news developments, often startling, before it, it was scarcely to be expected that trading in today's short session would be little more than nominal. There was a considerable show of animation at the opening and price advances in general list were substantial. This was due doubtless in large measure to covering by the short interests and otherwise settling of accounts for the week end, a movement with more than ordinary force behind it because of the overhanging menace of the railroad situation. Wall Street still holds to the belief that there will be no strike.

Further developments in Russia seem to indicate the ultimate establishment of a republic on the ruins of the Romanoff throne. The expansion of the revolutionary movement cannot but be a favorable circumstance for the entente belligerents and as such will have, in fact, already has had, a stimulating effect on the London markets as well as on our own.

After the cleaning up of settlements in the first half hour or so the stock market settled down and prices receded from the top level, holding for the most part fractionally above the previous closing level. The shipping and copper shares were in good demand. There was little change elsewhere in the industrial list. The railroad shares were narrow and almost wholly neglected, as would be natural under the prevailing uncertainties.

BANK CLEARINGS SHOW INCREASE

Bank clearings as reported to the California Development Board by the several clearing house cities for the week ending March 15, showing the amount of increase or decrease from the amount reported the corresponding week, 1916, were as follows:

		Increase.
San Francisco.	$80,154,398	$18,773,358
Los Angeles.	30,214,000	5,058,511
Oakland.	4,935,988	720,564
Sacramento.	2,251,484	460,060
* San Diego.	2,565,695	136,097
Fresno.	1,724,865	695,825
Stockton.	1,547,642	493,002
San Jose.	809,730	190,937
Pasadena.	1,408,991	329,009
Bakersfield.	648,249	190,131
Santa Rosa.	241,853	48,494
Long Beach.	789,861	121,809

* Decrease.

ACTUAL CONDITIONS.

NEW YORK, March 17.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $163,833,790 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $21,247,450 over last week. The statement follows:

Loans, discounts, etc., $3,558,906,000; increase, $775,000.

Reserve in own vaults, $515,003,000, of which $460,263,000 is specie; increase, $17,196,000.

Reserve in federal reserve bank, $221,274,000; increase, $12,671,000.

Reserve in other depositaries, $57,620,000; decrease, $497,000.

Aggregate reserve, $793,957,000.

Excess reserve, $163,833,970; increase, $21,247,450.

Net demand deposits, $3,651,777,000; increase, $43,772,000.

Net time deposits, $179,626,000; increase, $1,039,000.

Circulation, $28,590,000; decrease, $33,000.

Summary of state banks and trust companies in Greater New York not included in clearance house statement:

Loans, discounts, etc., $771,974,800; increase, $8,314,200.

Specie, $69,982,500; increase, $1,315,600.

Legal tenders, $11,185,500; decrease, $148,800.

Total deposits, $1,017,051,200; increase, $13,858,400.

Banks' cash in vaule, $16,108,900.

Trust companies' cash in vault, $64,159,100.

GRAIN PRICES IN DECIDED DROP

CHICAGO, March 17.—Chiefly as a consequence of the unsettling effects of railway labor difficulties, grain prices have receded in the last week, and provisions have averaged higher. Wheat values lost ⅝@5c, corn ¼@⅞c, and oats ⅝@1⅜c. In provisions the net results varied from 25c decline to an advance of 32c. Prior to the weakness caused in wheat by danger of a nationwide strike, the market was bearishly affected to some extent by rumors of a possible separate peace between Germany and Russia. Severe breaks in prices, accompanied by almost frantic dashes to sell, came about on Monday, after the fact was apparent that for at least another week no decision would be announced regarding the constitutionality of the Adamson law to establish an eight-hour day for railway employees. Big export purchases and an unfounded assertion that Germany was willing to modify its submarine campaign rallied prices on Tuesday, but next day the market was smashed anew by railroad notices of freight refusals on account of the threatened strike.

Confidence that the rail tie-up would be averted gave wheat prices a lift on Thursday, only to be followed by renewed depression yesterday morning because of orders that the walkout of railroad employees begin on Saturday evening. Much optimism again developed, however, before the end of the day's trading that President Wilson and the cabinet would evolve some method of harmoniously settling the strike.

Corn and oats showed greater steadiness than wheat, owing, more or less, to the smallness of receipts. At one stage corn touched a new high record price, $1.10⅜, for May delivery. Relatively high prices which the British government fixed for lard at Liverpool did a good deal to tighten the provisions market, but later the railway labor difficulties had a decidedly unsettling effect.

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE

The following are the Oakland quotations established today on the floor of the San Francisco Dairy Exchange. The regular jobbing prices are generally 2c per dozen on eggs over these quotations:

Butter—	Mar. 15	Mar. 16	Mar. 17
Fresh extra	35c	34c	34c
Prime firsts	34½c	33c	33½c
Eggs—	Mar. 15	Mar. 16	Mar. 17
Extras	26½c	26½c	26½c
Fresh firsts	25½c	25½c	25½c
Fresh first pullets	25c	25c	25c
Extra first pullets	24c	24c	24½c

Cheese—California fresh flats, fancy, 21½c per lb; do, new, first, old style, 20c; fancy Young Americas, 23c; do firsts, 22½c; N. Y. Cheddars, 25c; do, Twins, 25c; do, Triplets, 26c; Oregon Twins, ——; do Triplets, fancy, 24c; Oregon Triplets, storage, 23½c; Young Americas, new, 21½c; Wisconsin fancy Twins, 24½c; do Triplets, 23c.

ELGIN, Ill., March 17.—Butter, 25 tubs at 40c.

CHICAGO, March 17.—Butter—Unchanged. Eggs, higher; receipts, 8375 cases; firsts, 28@28½c; ordinary firsts, 27@27½c; at mark, cases included, 26@28c.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Butter firm; receipts, 6241. Creamery, higher than extras, 42½@43c; creamery extras (92 score), 42; firsts, 38½@41½c; seconds, 35½@38c.

Eggs unsettled; receipts, 19,821 cases; fresh gathered extra firsts, 30½c; firsts, 29½@30c.

Cheese irregular; receipts 2678; state-held specials, 27¼@27½c; do average fancy, 26½@27c.

The Weather

WEATHER FORECAST TO 5 P. M. SUNDAY.

Entire State of California—Fair tonight and Sunday; light northerly winds.

Nevada—Fair tonight and Sunday.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The storm has moved from Missouri to the lower lake region and caused rain or snow in the northern portion of the country from the Plains states to the Atlantic. Light snow has also fallen in Utah and Southern Idaho. In other sections of the country the weather is fair. It is warmer over the Pacific slope and lower lakes and colder in the Plains states. Strong south to west winds are reported in the lake region. Conditions are favorable for continued fair and pleasant weather in this district tonight and Sunday.

TEMPERATURE; RAINFALL.

	High.	Low.	Prec.
Boise	38	18	...
Eureka	60	38	...
Flagstaff	34	4	...
Fresno	64	44	...
Helena	26	10	...
Honolulu	78	..	...
Lindsay	64	36	...
Los Angeles	70	48	...
Merced	62	34	...
Mt. Tamalpais	50	36	...
Oakland	60	44	...
Phoenix	64	32	...
Pocatello	30	12	.01
Point Reyes	50	44	...
Portland, Ore.	56	36	...
Red Bluff	60	40	...
Reno	44	22	...
Roseburg	60	36	...
Sacramento	60	44	...
San Diego	64	46	...
San Francisco	60	44	...
Salt Lake City	32	18	.18
San Jose	64	40	...
San Luis Obispo	66	34	...
Seattle	52	36	...
Spokane	44	22	...
Stockton	64	38	...
Tacoma	54	34	...
Tonopah	38	24	...
Walla Walla	52	34	...
Winnemucca	40	22	...
Yuma	68	44	...

NEWS OF THE PORTS

PORTLAND, Ore., March 16.—Arrived: Steamers F. A. Kilburn, Rose City, Navigator towing barge Monterey, San Francisco.

TACOMA, Wash., March 16.—Sailed: Steamer Tenpassan Maru (Jap.), Bombay; Port Angeles, San Francisco.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET

Commission district men were somewhat concerned today over railroad strike possibilities and began figuring on methods to be adopted should a tie-up result. The almost all orange growers will find their crops left on their hands, unless a settlement between the brotherhoods and officials occurs promptly. The Redlands growing section, especially, will be affected. Water transportation will probably become the popular mode, but the question of getting the goods to shipping points is the big one at present.

Auto trucks and electric systems will be used almost exclusively, and Alameda county's vegetable growers will find this season a record one should the strike continue until the season for new varieties.

Today's sales were numerous, and both vegetable and commission men declared it to be an unusually good Saturday. Newtown Pippins strengthened considerably, fancy stock bringing as high as $1.40, with poorer quality selling for $1.15. Good rhubarb sold anywhere between $1.50 and $1.75 a box, while the other kind went at $1.25.

Poultry sales were reported in good number, with current prices holding good. Potatoes and onions were unchanged in price and tone today, despite ups and downs in the San Francisco market.

Wholesale quotations are:

Apples—Spitzenbergen, 3½@4 tier, fancy $2@2.25; choice, $1.25@1.50; Newton Pippins, No. 1, $1.15@1.40; B grade, 90c@$1, peddler stock.

Tangerines—Fancy, $2@2.25.

Citrus fruit—Oranges—Navels, fancy, $2.40@2.75; Sunkist, $2.65@2.85; choice, $2@2.50; Standards, $1.25@1.75.

Grapefruit—Sunkist, per box, fancy, $2.25@3; choice, $1.50@1.75; standards, $1.50, all according to size.

Lemons—Sunkist, $3.25@3.50; choice, $2.25@2.50; standards, $1.75@2; lemonettes, $1.75@2.25.

Tropical fruits—Central American and New Orleans bananas, 4@4½c per lb; Honolulu, 4@4½c; cocanuts, $3.50@3.75; pineapples, $4@5 a crate; $2@2.50, a dozen, according to size.

Golden dates—Per lb, 14c; Fard, 17½@18c; Dromedary, $3.25@3.40 per case of 30 packages.

Rhubarb—$1.25@1.75 box.

Potatoes—Rivers $3.75@4 sack; Oregon Burbanks, $3.25@3.50; Nevada, $3.50@4; Early Rose, $4.

Asparagus—20c lb.

Onions—Brown, 6@7c; new green, $1.50@1.75.

New garlic—2@4c a lb.

Tomatoes—Mexican, in Los Angeles lugs, $2@2.50.

Lettuce—Local, 20c dozen heads; Los Angeles, $1.25@1.50 per crate.

Endive—15@20c dozen.

Brussels sprouts—5@9c lb.

Celery—Sacramento River, $2@3.50 crate; 50c @$1 a dozen.

Cucumbers—Santa Cruz hothouse, $2.75@3 a box; No. 2, $2 box of 4 dozen; English, $1.50@1.75 dozen.

Cauliflower—90c@$1.10.

Cabbage—$1@1.20 dozen, 2½@3c lb.

Green Peppers—75c lb.

Peas—5@10c, small; large, 10@12c.

Artichokes—25@60c dozen.

Jerusalem artichokes—20-lb boxes, 65@75c a box.

Carrots, $2 sack.

Turnips, $1.50@2 a sack.

Beets, carrots, onions, 25@30c dozen bunches.

Poultry—Hens, 23@24c a lb.; large hens, 23@24c; small broilers, 30@35c; fryers, 28@32c; stags, 22@23c; old roosters, 15@16c; young ducks, 18@22c; dressed chickens, 27@28c.

Squabs—$3@3.50 dozen; old pigeons, $1.75@2 doz.

Belgian hares—13c lb.

Mushrooms—40@60c.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, March 17. — Cotton opened firm today with prices up five to fifteen points. Spot houses, New Orleans and commission houses purchased. The supply came from room traders, Wall Street and uptown interests.

After the call, the market held steady. The Liverpool exchange was closed.

NEW YORK, March 17.—The cotton market was quiet during the past week. Quotations for the third quarter ranged from 31½@32½c today, while the market for spot or nearby was nominal.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Spot cotton steady; middling, 18.20c.

FUTURES.

Closing quotations:

Option.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	17.04	17.18	17.02	17.24
March	....	....	....	18.00
May	17.72	17.97	17.67	17.85
July	17.56	17.76	17.53	17.72
October	16.89	17.17	16.86	17.12
December	17.04	17.25	17.00	17.22

METAL EXCHANGE

LONDON, March 17.—Bar silver, 35 15-16d per ounce. Money, 3½ per cent.

STOCK-BOND EXCHANGE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Transfer of several securities in large blocks partially offset the narrowness of today's short session. The decline and partial recovery of Union Oil furnished one of the features. The stock opened at $135, an unchanged figure, but light selling sent the price tumbling a full point. Just before the close of the session, however, the stock recovered to the initial level on the sale of a single small lot.

General Petroleum opened steady but strengthened before the end of trading. Associated Oil sold off a fraction.

Hawaiian Sugar continued to change hands in small quantities at $38, while Hawaiian Commercial, after advancing to $49¾, reacted a quarter of a point.

Pacific Gas and Electric first preferred declined on opening sale and recovered on moderate buying.

Natomas 6s continued to lead the bonds with sales at $33,000.

BONDS.

	Bid.	Ask.
S F Seawall 4s	3.80	..
Highway 4s	3.95	3.80
S F Harbor Imp 4s	3.80	..
S F Municipal 3½s	4.35	..
S F Municipal 4½s	4.15	..
S F Municipal 5s	..	4.20

UNITED STATES BONDS.

	Bid.	Ask.
4s quarterly coupon (new)	109¼	..

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Associated Oil Co 5s	103½	..
Bay Counties Power Co 5s	103½	..
Cal Cen Gas and Elec 6s	..	103¼
Cal Gas & Elec M & C T 6s	102¾	103½
Cal Elec Gen Co S A 5s	88	..
Cal Gas and Elec Unif 5s	100¼	100¾
Cal Tel and Light Co 6s	..	99½
Cal Wine Assn 5s	96	97½
Cent Cal Traction Co 5s	84	..
City Electric Co 5s	..	88
City Investment Co 5s	..	90½
Coast Counties L and P 5s	92¾	..
Edison Light and Power 6s	103¼	..
First Federal Trust Co 5s	101	..
General Pipe Line 6s	99⅞	100¼
General Petroleum Conv 6s	100	..
Gt Western Power Co 5s	..	87⅝
Home R T Spokane 5s	..	95
Honolulu R T and L Co 6s	101½	102
Lake Tahoe R & T 5s	..	82¼
Los Angeles Electric 5s	100	..
L A Gas and Elec 5s	100¾	..
L A Gas and Elec Corp 5s	99½	..
Los Angeles Railway 5s	99½	100½
Los Angeles Ry Corp 5s	..	88
Los Angeles Lighting Gtd 5s	101	..
L A Pac R R 1st con mtg 5s	88¾	..
L A Pac R R of Cal	..	82
Market St Ry 1st Con 6s	76¾	..
Natomas Co of Cal 6s	77	110½
Northern Cal Ry 6s	104	..
Northern Cal Power 5s	98	..
Northern Cal Power Con 5s	80	81¼
Oakland Transit Co 6s	82½	90
Oakland Transit 5s	..	84
Oakland Transit Con 5s	..	80
Oakland Traction Con 5s	35	40
Omnibus Cable Ry 5s	..	40
Orpheum T and R 6s	95	..
Pac Gas Imp 4s	100	101
Pac Elec Ry Co 5s	91¼	92
Pac Light and Power 5s	..	90
Pac Light & Power Co gtd 5s	99¾	..
Pac Gas and Elec 5s	92	92¼
Pac Tel and Tel Co	100⅝	100¾
Sac Elec Gas and Ry	..	103½
San Joaquin L & P Co Ser A 6s	103¼	..
San Joaquin L and P 5s	100½	101
S F Oak & S J Ry 5s	77½	..
S F Oak & San Jose 2d Mtg 5s	..	60
S F Oak & San Pac Con R R 5s	39	..
S J & S Clara Co R R 4½s	..	70
Sierra Ry of Cal 5s	..	80
S P of Cal R gtd 5s	110	..
S P Branch Ry of Cal 6s	118	..
S P R R Co 1st ref 4s	..	92
S P Co conv 4s	84¼	..
S P Co Conv 5s	100½	..
S P Co (S P Coll) 4s	84¼	..
S P Co S F Term 4s	..	88
S V Water Co gen mtg 5s	90¾	..
United R R of S F	39½	..
Union Oil Co of California	96	97
United R R of S F	39½	..
Valley Counties Power Co 5s	100	..
W P Ry 6s	85¼	88½

WATER STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Spring Valley Water	58½	60

INSURANCE STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Fireman's Fund	..	345

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Northern Cal Power Con	10	..
Northwestern Electric (pfd)	87¾	88
Northwestern Electric (com)	17½	20
Oro Elec Corp (pfd)	..	20
Pac Gas and Elec (first pfd)	..	93¾
Pac Gas and Elec (com)	64⅝	64⅝
Pac Lighting Corp (pfd)	87	..
Pac Lighting Corp (com)	..	125
Western Power (com)	..	17

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
American National Bank	135	..
Anglo-Cal Trust Co	116	117½
Anglo and L P Nat Bank	152	..
Bank of California, N A	199¾	200
First Nat Bank of S F	240	..
Mercantile National Bank	225	..
Savings Union Bank and Trust Co	260	272½
Union Trust Co	240	..

SAVINGS BANKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Humboldt Savings Bank	100	..
Mutual Savings Bank $30 paid)	80	..
Security Savings Bank	225	..

STREET RAILWAY STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
California St R R	..	81

POWDER STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
E I du P de Nemours Powder (com)	..	502½

SUGAR STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Hawaiian Com and Sugar	49¾	..
Hawaiian Sugar Co	37½	..
Honokaa Sugar Co	10¾	11
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	27	..
Kilauea Sugar Plantation	..	20
Oahu Sugar Co	20⅞	..
Olaa Sugar Co	..	15¾
Onomea Sugar Co	52⅞	..
Paauhau S P Co	23¾	24½
Pioneer Mill Co	37½	..
Union Sugar Co	85⅝	..

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Amalgamated Oil	..	79½
Associated Oil Co 5s	71½	72
General Petroleum (com)	76¾	..
Pacific Crude Oil	146	..
Pinal Dome Oil	52c	98c
Sterling Oil and Dev	1½	2¼
Union Oil of California	134⅞	..
West Coast Oil (pfd)	..	120

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Alaska Packers' Assn	100	..
Cal Fruit Canners Assn	..	..
Cal Wine Assn (pfd)	66	70
do common	24	25
Judson Mfg Co	45	50
Natomas of California (pfd)	21⅞	22¼
Pacific Auxiliary Fire Alarm	3½	..
Pac Tel and Tel (pfd)	98	..
Philippine T and T Corp 5s	21	22

SALES TODAY.

BONDS.

3000 Cal Gas and Elec Unif 5s 100¼
33000 Natomas Co of Cal 6s 77
12000 Pac Electric Ry Co 5s 89¾
6000 Pac Tel and Tel Co 6s 100¾
4000 S P R R Co 1st Ref 4s 92⅛
1000 S P R R Co 1st Ref 4s 92
1000 S V Water Co Gen Mtg 4s 96⅝
25000 S V Water Co Gen Mtg 4s 96½
2000 West. Pac Ry 88½

STOCKS.

6 Pac Gas and Elec (first pfd) 92¾
80 Pac Gas and Elec (first pfd) 93
50 Hawaiian Com'l and Sugar 49½
50 Hawaiian Com'l and Sugar 49½
40 Hawaiian Sugar Co 38
50 Associated Oil Co 71¾
75 Union Oil 135
20 Union Oil 134
30 Union Oil 134½
25 General Petroleum 75¾
15 General Petroleum 75¾

UNLISTED SALES.

1000 E Bay Water 5½s 100
865 Cal Packers com 38¼
130 E Bay Water A pfd 70
500 Honolulu Oil 3¼
100 Nobel Electric 1¾

S. F. STOCK EXCHANGE OIL AND MINING

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

CALIFORNIA.	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Cent Eureka	23	24			
NEVADA					
Comstocks.					
Alpha	..	07	Jacket	05	06
Alta	..	03	Justice	..	03
Andes	14	17	Kentucky Con	..	03
Best & Bel	05	06	Mexican	05	07
Bri Potosi	22	..	Occidental	03	..
Bullion	02	04	Ophir	10	16
Caledonia	14	..	Overman	..	08
Challenge	..	06	Potosi	..	02
Chollar	02	04	Savage	..	06
Confidence	10	..	Seg Belcher	..	02
Con Imperial	01	02	Scorpion	..	03
Con Virginia	08	09	Silver Hill	..	09
Exchequer	04	06	Union Con	38	39
Gould & Cur	02	04	Utah	..	03
Hale & Nor	04	06			
Tonopah District.					
Belmont	..	5.00	Mon Pitts	21	22
Cash B Con	06	07	Montana	21	25
G Queen	07	..	North Star	15	16
G West Con	05	06	Rescue Eula	28	..
Halifax	..	50	Ton Exten	..	3.30
Jim Butler	..	70	Ton of Nev	..	6.50
MacNamara	07	08	Umatilla	02	..
Mid. Con	15	16	West End	..	74
Mizpah Ex	13	15	West Ton	23	..
Manhattan District.					
Gold Wedge	07	08	Morn. Glory	22	..
Man B Power	14	..	Union Anal	18	20
Man Consol	15	..	W Caps	1.80	1.82½
Goldfield District.					
Atlanta	14	..	Grandma	04	05
B Bull Recr	01	02	G Bend reinc	06	..
Booth Recr	10	11	Jumbo Ex	28	30
C O D	02	03	Jumbo Jr	10	..
Columbia M	01	03	Kewanas	17	18
Comb Frac	05	06	do Exten	..	01
Crackerj Recr	06	..	Simmerone	01	02
D B B Recr	03	04	Red H Flor	04	..
Diam Daisy	03	..	S Kendall	04	05
Florence	20	21	Silver P Con	10	11
Goldf Con	60	61	Spearhd Gold	07	08
Goldf Merger	07	..	Yellow Tiger	..	01
ARIZONA.					
Ontman District.					
Argo	..	06	08	Lazy Boy	..	03
Big Jim	1.12½	..	Lucky Boy	10	15
Black Range	07	10	Midway	..	40
Cash Entry	..	12	Nellie	..	17
Eff Edge	..	02	Out Comb	..	10
Gold Key	..	10	Out N Star	07	08
Gold Ore	..	23	Tipperary	02	..
Gold R Bon	..	10	United East	4.50	4.75
Hi Henry	..	01	United West	02	03
Other Districts.					
rAriz R Cop	09	11	Pioneer Con	03	05
Boundry R M	25	..	Rochester	03	05
El Dor Entry	05	07	do Merger	25	27
Neuzel C P	14	..	Round Mt	45	46
Nev Hills	24	25	United Mines	..	60
Nev Packard	47	49			

SALES TODAY.

1000 Cash Boy C	06	10500 Jumbo Jr	08		
40500 G Queen	07	10500 Jumbo Jr	09		
1000 MacNamara	07	1500 Kewanas	17		
500 Mid Con	15	5000 R H Flor	04		
1000 Mid Con	14	2000 Spearhd Gold	08		
500 Mizpah Extn	13	5000 Spearhd G	07		
27000 Mon Pitts	22	500 Cent Eureka	24		
19500 Mon Pitts	21	1000 Cent Eureka	23		
500 Rescue Eula	27	2000 G Wedge	07		
2500 Rescue Eula	28	1000 Man Big F	14		
2000 Umatilla	02	10500 Man Con	15		
2000 W Ton	24	10000 W Caps	1.75		
3000 W Ton	22	1000 W Caps	1.77½		
2500 W Ton	23	8500 W Caps	1.82½		
2000 Atlanta	15	7000 W Caps	1.80		
12500 Atlanta	14	5500 Morn Glory	21		
5000 Comb Frac	05	19500 Morn Glory	22		
2000 Crackerj Rc	06	500 Mexican	06		
1000 Goldf C M	06	1000 Ophir	15		
6500 Goldf M M	07	5000 Argo	06		
1500 Con Virginia	09	200 Big Jim	1.27½		
6000 Gt Bend Rc	06	100 Big Jim	1.25		
1800 Jumbo Ex	28	1000 Gold R Bon	10		
500 Jumbo Ex	29	1000 Scorpion	02		
15000 Jumbo Jr	10	4000 S Nevada	03		

OILS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Amalg Oil	75.00	..	MJ & M&M	29	32
Associated	70.00	..	Nat Pac	02	03
Apollo	05	..	New Pa Pet	16	..
Brookshire	..	..	N Amer Oil	10	..
Carbon	1.25	..	Pac Crude	16	..
Piedmont	..	2.00	Pac S Pet	10	..
Cont. Cont.	10	..	Palmer U	07	08
do Mnk	90	..	Pet of Pet	..	15
Crescent	..	05	Peerless	9.00	..
Del Rey	..	11	Piedmont	17	18
De Luce	25	..	Pinal Dome	95	..
Empire	35	..	Premier	35	40
Enos	..	10	Producers	122.50	..
Four	12	..	Record	..	8.50
Gen Pet bds	62	03	Republic	09	..
Globe	02	03	Rice R	..	1.42
Honolulu	..	8.60	Sauer D	..	1.25
Ill. Crude	..	15	Section 25	13.00	..
Jade	..	10	Sovereign	10	..
Junction	28	..	S F & McK	16.00	..
Kern River	2.00	..	S W & B	..	10
Lucile	3.00	..	Stay	..	16
Marl. Nat	15	..	Sterling	..	2.00
Maricopa	36.1.05	..	Sunset Mon	10	..
Mascot	1.40	..	Traders	62.50	..
McKittrick	50	..	Union	..	131.00
Mid. Oil	50	..	United Oil	20	22
Mid Prem	..	35	Utd Pet	132.00	..

NEW FRENCH LOAN.

NEW YORK, March 17.—J. P. Morgan & Co. announced the floatation in this country of a new French loan for $100,000,000 in two-year notes, dated April, and bearing interest at the rate of 5½ per cent.

RAW SUGAR QUOTED

NEW YORK, March 17.—Raw sugar, steady; molasses, 4.10c; centrifugal, 5.27c. Refined steady; fine granulated, 7@8c.

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CHICAGO WHEAT PIT

CHICAGO, March 17.—Price changes in the wheat market were indecisive today and trading restricted pending conclusive developments in the strike crisis. Opening quotations, which ranged from ¼c off to ¼c up, with May at $1.83@1.83½, and July at $1.54⅝@1.55, were followed by slight gains, then by a moderate general setback and later by many narrow fluctuations.

Subsequently the market showed considerable strength, owing to assertions that the government was preparing measures to prevent cessation of railway traffic even if the President's appeal to the contending forces to get together failed. The close was unsettled, ranging from 1c net decline to 1⅜c advance with May at $1.84@1.84⅛ and July at $1.54⅞@1.55⅛.

Corn traders leaned to the bear side. Most of the business was between pit speculators. After opening ⅛c off to ¼c up, the market sagged all around to a little below yesterday's finish.

Later the market hardened with wheat. The close was nervous, varying from ¼c net decline to ⅛c gain.

Oats trailed after corn. Transactions were only of a scattering character.

Higher prices on hogs lifted provisions. Offerings proved scarce.

The close:

Wheat—May, $1.84; July, $1.54⅞.
Corn—May, $1.09; July, $1.07⅜.
Oats—May, 57¾c; July, 56¼.
Pork—May, $33.25; July, $32.55.
Lard—May, $19.20; July, $19.20.
Ribs—May, $17.97; July, $17.75.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 3 yellow, $1.07@1.08; No. 4 yellow, nominal.
Rye, nominal. Barley, $1.00@1.32. Timothy, $3.75@5.75. Clover, $12@18.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 17.—Wheat firm, no trading; spot bids 1@2c higher. Bluestem, $1.70; forty-fold, $1.67; club, $1.66; red Russian, $1.62.

Eastern Livestock Markets

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 17.—Hogs—Receipts, 15,000. Market slow and 5c higher. Mixed and butchers, $14.50@15.05; good heavy, $14.50@15.10; rough heavy, $14.50@14.60; light, $14.25@14.75; pigs, $10.75@13.25; bulk, $14.65@15.

Cattle—Receipts, 500. Market steady. Beeves, $9.00@12.60; cows and heifers, $5.70@10.75; stockers and feeders, $5.60@7.50; Texans, $9.25@10.60; calves, $10@

DUTCH RUN U-ZONE TO REACH S. F. BAY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Docking here at 7 o'clock last night, the Vondel, carrying passengers from Holland to Java, assumed the honor of being the first liner through the Panama canal to bring passengers to San Francisco, as well as the first Dutch passenger vessel of any kind. It is expected that the ship will leave here tomorrow for Java.

Starting from the home port, January 26, the ship passed through the submarine zone safely and carried, in its smooth course, two couples who became engaged during the progress from the other continent to this one.

Five days after leaving the home port the Vondel picked up two boatloads of men from the torpedoed Dutch vessel Gamma. The submarine had stopped the Gamma, and the crew, composed of youths, stripped the vessel of copper, compelled the Gamma's crew to set bombs in their own ship, and then allowed them the freedom of the sea in small boats. The Gamma sank a few minutes afterward. Following a short period of drifting, the Vondel picked up the men and took them through the mined waters of England to Brixham. Max Myne, a Gamma engineer, stayed on the Vondel. He told the story of submarine warfare to newspaper men.

K. van den Boogaard, a commercial man of Batavia, and Miss Annie Kleinman of Singapore became engaged on the trip; also Theodore J. Vruink, a Sumatra plantation manager, and Miss Elsa van Leeuwan, from The Hague.

The Vondel, it is declared, is the first vessel of the Netherlands Lloyd line to make the regular run from Holland to Java. It is rumored that sailings will be made every two weeks from San Francisco for Honolulu, Yokohama, Hongkong, Manila, Singapore, and finally Java.

Police Probe Shooting Into Walls of House

BURLINGAME, March 17.—Police in peninsula towns have been asked to investigate shots fired into the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Burkhart on Crescent avenue. Four shots were fired. Two bullets lodged in the south side of the residence. Another shot plowed its way through the wall, burying itself in a sleeping room occupied by Mrs. Burkhart.

Burkhart is an engineer in San Francisco.

'MORE SLEEP' IS NEW SLOGAN AT GAY NEWPORT

NEWPORT, R. I., March 17.—A campaign for more sleep and less drink among the society debutantes at this fashionable resort was sponsored here today by Mrs. Joseph M. Gazzam of Philadelphia.

Bishop Rhinelander is expected to call a meeting soon to further the idea; and he is backed in this by Bishop Garland and Dr. Floyd W. Tompkins.

Mrs. Gazzam feels there is entirely too much wine drinking among young girls during their first season in society. She also condemns the dance-till-dawn and late-supper idea.

These practices, Mrs. Gazzam maintains, are apt to undermine the girls' health and the example set is likely to lead to emulation on the part of other young girls all over the country.

This is a time, Mrs. Gazzam feels, when all that is good in our physical and mental makeup should be fostered, as both men and women are likely to be called at any moment to help defend the country and need all the strength they can develop.

Mrs. Gazzam and her daughter are expected to take their cottage for the summer here again, and the outcome of the campaign will be closely watched.

McClure Is Here on Way to Russia

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—S. S. McClure, publisher, author and war correspondent, arrived at the Fairmont en route for Japan, Siberia and Russia. He is going to San Jose this afternoon to spend the week end with former Congressman Hayes after transacting some business with Consul General Hannaharra and arranging for passage on the steamship Korea, which will sail Tuesday.

McClure was very keen last night for the latest news regarding developments in Russia, where he expects to spend three or four months studying the working of the new scheme of government evolved from the present revolution.

WILL COMPLETE LECTURES.

The last lecture of the series on the Indians of Mexico will be one of especial interest, for it will treat of "The Modern Indian of Mexico and His Future." Dr. Paul Radin will give this lecture tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 at the University of California Museum of Anthropology at the Affiliated Colleges.

CONDITIONS ALONG the HIGHWAY

Road conditions throughout the state as received at the Touring Bureau of The California State Automobile Association, March 15, 1917.

Important: During winter months this bulletin is subject to daily changes on account of the weather conditions.

Coast Route South—Leave Oakland via paved highway to San Jose, Salinas and Chualar. Dirt road to Camphora. Highway from Camphora to within three miles of King City, dirt road to King City, San Lucas and San Ardo. Highway San Ardo to within five miles of Bradley, thence dirt road to San Luis Obispo county line, thence paved highway to San Luis Obispo and Arroyo Grande, fair dirt road to Santa Maria; highway to Orcutt; dirt road to Blake; highway to Los Alamos, fair dirt road to Los Olivos. Los Olivos to Santa Barbara via Gaviota Pass in good condition with the exception of a few rough places. Los Olivos to Santa Barbara via San Marcos Pass, fair to the foot of San Marcos, rough on this side of mountain, good to Santa Barbara. Santa Barbara to Ventura, highway. Ventura to Los Angeles, paved except good gravel road over Conejo grade.

Valley Route South—Leave via Foothill boulevard to Hayward, turn left from Hayward to Dublin boulevard, thence pavement to Dublin. Dublin to Santa Rita good gravel road, thence pavement to Greenville, thence four miles of rough dirt road, thence highway to Tracy and the Mossdale school. Take right-hand fork and continue on paved road to Modesto. Detour from Modesto to Empire, cross river coming back to highway at Ceres. We are advised that this detour will not be necessary after Monday, March 19, as the new bridge will be open Saturday or Monday. Ceres to Merced, Fresno, Kingsburg and Visalia, highway. Visalia to Tulare, gravel road; thence fair dirt road to Delano or via Porterville to Delano, dirt road twenty miles longer. Highway from Delano to Bakersfield and south to Rose Station. Road from Rose Station over Tejon Pass to Leboc oiled, graveled road in good condition, pavement to Bailey's, thence dirt road to Castiac. On account of rain and snow skid chains may be necessary. Paved road to Saugus and Los Angeles via Burbank.

Coast Route North: Sausalito Special Auto Boats—Leave San Francisco at 8:30, 10 a. m., 12:01, 2, 4, 6 p. m. Extra boats Sundays and holidays at 6:30 a. m. and 8 and 8:30 p. m. Leave Sausalito at 7:50, 9:20, 11:20 a. m., 1:20, 3:20, 5:20 p. m. Extra boats Sundays and holidays at 7:20, 8:50 and 10:20 p. m. No automobiles wil lbe handled on regular passenger boats during the period that special boats are running.

East Bay Motorists Take the Richmond-San Rafael Ferry—Leave Point Richmond 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 4 p. m. Sundays only at 5:30 p. m. Leave Point San Quentin 8:15, 10:15 a. m., 12:15, 2:15, 4:15 p. m. Sundays at 6:15 p. m. Route: Paved road through Sausalito, bad detour at 1000 feet beyond Coyote Creek concrete bridge, turn to left follow temporary signs coming out at Mt. Tamalpais High School, poor to Alto, thence detour over fair dirt road to San Rafael, or follow signs from detour to Corte Madera and San Rafael via San Anselmo, highway (3 miles further) San Rafael to Sonoma county line, rough excepting new highway grade which has been graveled and in good condition; highway to Petaluma and to two miles out of Petaluma, then rough dirt road to Santa Rosa, paved to Healdsburg, good gravel road to Geyserville and Cloverdale. Cloverdale to Ukiah graded state highway with exception of four miles between Hopland and Largo. Ukiah to Willits graded state highway. North of Willits not advisable.

Pacific Highway North—Take Valley route south out of Oakland to Mossdale school, take left-hand fork to Stockton and Sacramento. Sacramento to Sylvan School rough macadam road, highway to about four miles north of Lincoln, rough approach to bridge between Roseville and Marysville, detour west to Marysville sign, thence dirt road to Sheridan, thence highway to Marysville and Live Oak, thence dirt road to Nelson, new highway to Tehama county line, dirt orad to Proberta; highway to Red Bluff, new highway grade to Cottonwood; dirt road to Redding. North of Redding not advisable on account of rains and mud.

Pacific Highway North from Benicia—Benicia to Batavia via Fairfield and Vacaville, paved. Dirt road to Davis, highway to Woodland. Follow old road through Yolo county, fair condition if dry to Hershey, thence highway to Orland and Corning; dirt road to Proberta and highway to Red Bluff.

To Sacramento via Tunnel Road and Causeway—Leave Oakland via Broadway, College and Claremont avenues to Claremont Hotel, thence tunned road to Walnut Creek, paved. Dirt road to Martinez, after rains take road out of Walnut Creek to Concord, thence via Pacheco to Martinez. Ferry running between Martinez and Benicia every hour on half-hour starting from Martinez at 7:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. No boat at 12:30 noon. Leave Benicia every hour on even hour starting 7 a. m. to 6 p. m., no boat at 12 noon. Leave Benicia on Main and J streets, thence highway to Cordelia, Vacaville and Batavia, dirt road to Davis and the Causeway to Sacramento.

To Santa Cruz—Glenwood road closed on account of land slide at Glenwood. The highway commission have large crews at work endeavoring to have the road open soon. Chittenden Road poor, very muddy. Dumbarton road fair but not advisable during rains. Castroville to Del Monte, paved. Rig Basin road closed.

To Byron Hot Springs—During wet weather continue on highway from Mt. House, 1½ miles. Turn there for Bethany. Then follow new sign boards. Only 3 miles farther than by Mt. House cutoff. Perfect road in any weather.

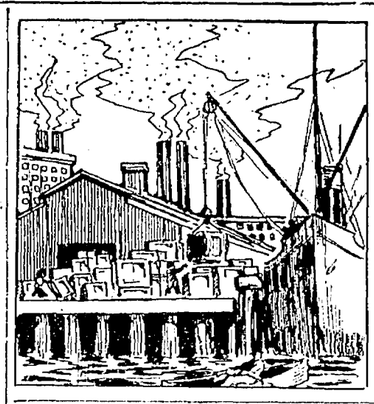
Pacheco Pass, Gilroy to Fresno—This route not advisable during winter.

To Del Monte—Paved entire distance, in excellent condition.

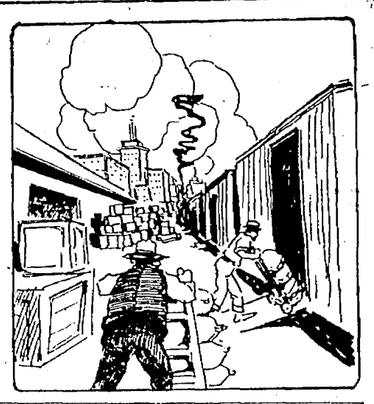
Napa Valley Roads—In good condition to Middletown, fair to Lakeport. St. Helena to Santa Rosa via Petrified Forest, fair. Napa to Monticello, poor. Napa to Pope's Valley, poor. Napa to Petaluma, good.

San Mateo County Roads—Paved in San Mateo or Belmont to Crystal Springs. New highway open from summit to Halfmoon Bay. La Honda to Pescadero a fair road. Pescadero to San Gregorio, good. San Gregorio to Redwood City, good. Colma to San Gregorio via coast line road. Halfmoon very good.

..To Bolinas—Bolinas road from Fairfax closed from summit to Bolinas on account of blasting. Road, Olema to Bolinas, good.



INDUSTRIAL NEWS
ITEMS of INTEREST CONCERNING the MANUFACTURERS of THE EAST BAY DISTRICT



A factory that has been a great factor in the growth and development of Oakland and vicinity. Is now the largest structural steel plant on San Francisco bay and still extending.

The Judson Manufacturing Co., covering an area of fifteen acres claim to have the largest structural steel shops on San Francisco bay. This plant is capable of turning out 1000 tons finished structural material monthly, exclusive of 3000 tons a month from the rolling mill. A large machine shop as modern as can be found on the coast, takes care of the necessary work for the varied machines in operation throughout the plant. It is from this shop that the enormous rolls are turned out for the rolling of the white hot ingots, three feet in length and 10 inches square to rods or narrow strips of iron and steel, fifty feet in length. Then, there is the bolt and rod shops where hundreds of thousands drift bolts are made, length and heads automatically gauged and formed, for ship building purposes. Then the reinforcing shop where the long rods of square iron is twisted by huge machines until an evenly spiral twist fifty feet long is ready for its use in reinforced concrete building work.

The forge shop, shafting shop, pattern shop and foundry where as large as twenty-ton castings have been made. From the shops of this plant monstrous machines are made such as gold dredges weighing one hundred tons each. Some of the structural work made by this company for large buildings are as follows: Oakland City Hall, Rainier Brewing Co., San Francisco, and the new bank and apartment building at Twenty-second and Broadway. An idea of working material may be gathered from the immense piles of scrap waiting for the furnaces. It is estimated that 20,000 tons of stock is on the ground continually. From this, bar iron and steel is made and shipped to China, Japan, Russia and the South Sea Islands by the trainloads.

The Judson Mfg. Co. has done wonders in the building up of Oakland and vicinity. This company runs its plant twenty-four hours each day, employs 600 men and has a pay roll from fifty to sixty thousand dollars a month. It is said that a cool million dollars was refused as purchase price of this plant, not long ago. Eight different unions are represented in this army of workmen and, that large force is working in the most amicable manner with harmony written throughout the plant. The policy of following out "Safety First" rules and doing their utmost in educating the employees along these lines, has caused this company to congratulate itself upon the constant cooperation with which the employees so readily give.

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"Yes, I'll look around and see if I need anything I might buy from advertisers on this page."

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Richmond Pressed Brick Works, owned by a Los Angeles corporation, will start its $150,000 extension when settled weather conditions permit.

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Princeton Knitting Mill Company now under construction at Twenty-third and Tulare streets, Richmond, expects to be in operation some time in June. Quite a number of cottages are to be erected contiguous to this plant.

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Do you know that Alameda County ranks third in population and wealth of the State? Yes. More than 300,000 people. That's a few to tell your story to about your products, and there is no better field to sell in than right at home—but tell 'em.

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Pacific Tank and Pipe Company reports the starting of work on the pipe factory department at the plant at High street. This building will be 100 feet wide by 225 feet long. It is believed that pipe manufacturing will be under way about June 1. The Fleischmann Company of California has ordered 60 vinegar generators to be installed at their plant in South San Francisco.

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R. H. Conrad, 1812 Telegraph avenue, manufactures a motor in which is used an asbestos covered magnet wire. Conrad declares that this type of winding the motors will positively prohibit burn-outs. Ordinarily motors are wound with a cotton covered wire. This "Deltabeston" wire is used by Conrad in every re-winding job or in new motors. A large stock of "Deltabeston" arrived this week.

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The California Disappearing Bed Co., 136 Thirteenth street, has opened its local office, salesroom and assembly plant at the above number. This bed is different from the wall bed and disappearing types usually known, by features that put it in a class individually by itself. Sanitation is a main point, moderate cost of installation, conveniently concealed when not in use under the most difficult conditions, instantaneously brought into a full size bed, no need to strap the bed clothes causing lack of ventilation, is always free to be moved anywhere and instantly closed and concealed if wished, durability and comfort emphasized.

Hammer-Bray Co. has received an inquiry relative to shipment of Spark automatic coolers, in car lots from Texas.

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Standard Welding Works is doing some nice work at Concord, one job is to cut up 90 tons of boiler steel for scrap and another—three large water heaters to be welded for Concord Hotel.

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The Standard Oil Company is ready to expend $1,000,000 this summer on the extension of its Richmond refinery, providing it can get the material, is one of the statements made regarding manufacturing development in Richmond.

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V. K. Sturges Co. report the installation of a hydraulic press weighing 12 tons. This press is reported to exert a pressure of one million five hundred thousand pounds, for forming rubber and tires.

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Mr. Manufacturers: "We are in receipt of a letter from a southern concern that is anxious to get hold of cast-off leather belting. If you want the address of this inquiry, will be pleased to give you same. Write care of Industrial Department, Tribune."

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A recent extended study has shown that upon the proper solution of factory lighting problems depends, to a large extent, on the amount and cost of production. Insufficient illumination is frequently held by juries to be "contributory negligence" in accident suits.

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Mr. and Mrs. Reader: Are you on "speaking terms" with the goods manufactured by our local factories? A greater preference for "local brands" will mean a greater prosperity for our locality, our industries, our merchants, our jobbers—and go to make us proud of our city we call "our home."

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Added improvements to the property of the Southern Pacific at Visitacion will run up into the million and a half mark. This includes freight and passenger shops. Contemplated improvements include freight-car repair shop, planing mill and car shop, machine shop, store building and a yardmaster's building.

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750,000 pounds of wheat per month is represented in the manufacturing of those delicious nut brown biscuits made by the Pacific Coast Shredded Wheat Co. Every box that goes out of this monstrous plant to the thousands of consumers in California and the coast is labeled, Oakland, Cal. This is an advertisement of some magnitude for our city.

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Many eastern factories are putting in cafeterias where workmen can eat good food at reasonable prices in clean, comfortable dining rooms. Oakland has the same idea expressed in a practical manner in the Oakland Lamp Works and Oakland Shredded Wheat Factory. The kitchens are equipped with the latest type of hotel gas ranges.

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Oakland Mazda Lamp Division believes in efficiency in all directions for their employees whether in work or play. Practice games have started and already the victories "in mind" are making the Oakland Mazda boys quite cocky. They claim better working interest by relaxation with sport on the field made possible by the co-operation of their company. "Some ball team," they say.

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The manufacturers' luncheon Wednesday was attended by a large number of industrial representatives. The speakers of the day were Robert Newton Lynch, vice-president and general manager of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, and John S. Willis, assistant manager transportation department of the S. F. Chamber of Commerce. The talks were on subjects of vital interest to the manufacturers of the San Francisco bay section. Mr. Newton spoke on the essentials necessary for expansion into foreign trade markets and reported some of the efforts expended by the national movement at the Foreign Trade Convention recently held in Pittsburg, Pa. Mr. Willis ably defined the reasons for co-operation of the trans-bay industries for establishing freight, trans-continental and trans-Pacific rates, for the mutual benefit of the San Francisco bay section. A strong plea for the "pull together" of Oakland and San Francisco industries was made and heartily endorsed by those present. The remarks of both speakers were enthusiastically applauded.

Yes! The advertisers below are earnestly telling their messages to you. They believe it's worth while.

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University Engraving Co., 1422 Jefferson street, recently made the engraving and half-tones for the following: Berkeley High School Annual, Olla Podrida,—Oakland Technical High School, The Scribe; The Home Builder Magazine and The Army and Navy News. The last two now on the press.

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California Steel Co. is making the structural steel for the new building to be occupied by the American National Bank, San Francisco, also making a large shipment to Hawaiian Islands for Oahu Sugar Co. Orders are such as to keep this structural steel plant busy for a whole year. "Can't beat that kind of news."

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The manufacturers committee of the Chamber of Commerce announces the entrance of a new industry for Oakland. This is the No-Twist Swivel Mfg. Co., 1853-57 Thirty-fifth avenue. They will manufacture the Bacon No-Twist Electric Cord Swivel which can be connected to flexible extension cords used with electrical appliances, eliminating tangles and twists.

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F. W. Laufer, optometrist, 487 Fourteenth street, uses an interesting machine to detect pathological conditions. It is a De Zeng's Electric Opthalmoscope and by the way it is as effective in determining the proper condition as the name is intricate in pronunciation. By this method Mr. Laufer is able to refer patients to the proper authority for treatment.

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A copy of the letter forwarded by the Railroad Commission to Cross-bay carriers, is as follows:

"In compliance with the decision of the Supreme Court of the State of California, made on December 14, 1916, in the case of Western Association of Short Line Railroads vs. Railroad Commission as modified by decision of January 11, 1917, the Railroad Commission has issued its general order No. 47, directing all owners of automobile and other stage freight and passenger carriers which are subject to the Railroad Commission's jurisdiction to file on or before March 1, 1917, tariffs showing their rates, fares, charges classifications, time schedules, routes, rules and regulations. The carriers subject to the Railroad Commission's jurisdiction under said decision are all automobile or horse drawn freight or passenger stages which operate as common carriers of passengers or freight over regular routes, between fixed termi in this state, except such as operate entirely within the limits of an incorporated city or town. It is unlawful for carriers subject to the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission to collect any charge or rate not named in tariffs on file with the railroad commission."

This has a direct bearing on the local cross-bay transfer men and the merchants and manufacturers. To the transfer men it means a schedule as to time and to rates charged. To the merchant and manufacturer it means a uniform schedule that is available to all. In the past the smaller man was oftentimes discriminated against by the transfer man as the volume of business he had to offer was not sufficient enough to get the price that his larger competitor enjoyed. It is going to put the transfer companies on a sound business footing, weeding out the irresponsible "cheap" fellow who comes, stays awhile and is remembered only by the debts he leaves. The merchants and manufacturers should co-operate with the draymen whether he operates locally or from one municipality to another. In reality he is the biggest "common carrier" as he not only feeds the railroads, but handles tons of merchandise they never see. It is only a question of time till the railroad commission draws them all in, to the betterment of everybody.

The California Wine Association will expend in the neighborhood of $31,000 for the erection of bungalows in Richmond and Winehaven on the Richmond deep water front.

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The resident district known as the Lake district which is being handled by the Mutual Realty Co., is being reproduced by map work. The Ad-Art Co. is making bird's-eye views, also black and white maps of this district which are in reality a work of art.

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Maxwell Hardware Co. is indicating the increase of business in gas ranges by buying by the carload instead of small lots. John P. Maxwell of this company has been re-elected president of the California State Retail Hardware Association. This brings Oakland into further recognition as a business center.

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The Standard Fence Company has just started the erection of the stock and corral fences for the Black Hawk Stock Ranch at Diablo, owned by Messrs. A. M. Easton and William Ward. There will be several carloads of material used on this work, all of which will be shipped from Oakland.

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Don't fail to read the advertisement in the lower right hand corner of this page. It means "quality." Quick Print Shop, yet they are rather modest in saying so, nevertheless "quality" has played an important part in the success that has surrounded this busy shop. It is to your advantage, Mr. Office Manager, to investigate this "quality" work.

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The Pacific Gas and Electric Company supplies electrical energy to the amount of 341,000 horsepower in motors. Of these motors, 35,000 H.P. is in service in California mines, 63,000 at work on the farms, 55,000 driving street and interurban railway cars, 138,000 in the manufacturing industries and 50,000 in miscellaneous uses.

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Kawneer Mfg. Co., Berkeley, has erected an addition to the present factory to be known as the dipping and paint room. The metal fronts for a bank job at Lodi has been shipped and a new bank job for Anaheim is being shipped. Mr. Boynton says, "Just ordinary news, always busy." We say, "This is good news; tell the other fellow, makes everybody feel good to hear busy news."

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The Great Western Power Company has announced plans for the construction of a $6,000,000 power plant at a point three miles east of Oroville on Feather river. Construction is to start at once. The plant will be completed during 1918 and will have a capacity of 75,000 kilowatts. Included in the plans is a 15-mile cement canal skirting the mountain from the present plant at Las Plumas to Table Mountain, where it will drop 300 feet into the power house.

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Doak Gas Engine Co. has broken ground for their new buildings. When completed this company will have the entire block occupied from Fourth to Fifth streets and Madison to Jackson streets. This will enable them to quadruple their output. The first two units will be used for assemblying rooms while the present assembly rooms will be equipped with new machine tools which has been ordered.

"Yes, it saves you valuable time Mr. P. A. to be able to see at a glance that you can be served by the 'advertisers' on this page."

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Straub Mfg. Co. is making a gold dredger of the flume type or bucket dredge for shipment to a district in Alaska never before touched by this type of dredger. This is for the Iditarod district. Several dredgers made by this company are in the Nome district.

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Ham and bacon, those two appetizing food stuffs, are in a class by themselves, sizzling hot and juicy, they are without a doubt par excellent for the breakfast table, but there is ham and bacon—and ham and bacon.

The luscious looking brown beauties the writer saw in the smoke house of Calvin Orr was such as to cause a dispeptic to have a glorious appetite. This is the plant that has brought commendation from the city and state inspectors as being one of the most sanitary on the Pacific Coast. Flooring of concrete, walls lined six feet high with zinc, steamed-cleaned equipment after each operation, spells sanitation.

Bacon kept in pickle for 96 days until thoroughly cured before smoking, hams thoroughly scrubed clean in water before hanging on the racks for smoking, is the start of the program. Taken from this bath they are hung on racks that travel on overhead tracks throughout all stages of operation. No handling of the meat is allowed from now on until wrapped up for delivery.

These racks are run into an oven 12x12x14 where the meat is thoroughly dried by what is known as a "Cumberland dry" hot air process, then this big 10,000-pound capacity oven is closed for the "smoke." The floor consists of long grate bars while in the pit below is where the "oak" fire is constantly kept until the "smoking" is done. Then after the proper "smoke cure" is given, the overhead trolley system is again used for conveying the meats to the "hanging racks" from which they are weighed and wrapped.

Fifty cars of meat is taken into this "smoke house" yearly, the value of which is approximately $300,000. The "Morrell" ham and bacon is bought from one concern of Ottumwa, Ia., which is directly in the corn belt where the hog gets the best feed which naturally shows in the quality of the meat.

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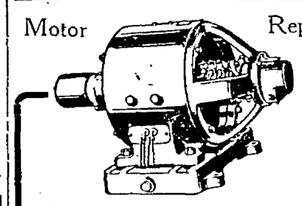
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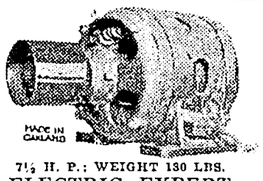
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